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Fight for gun turned deadly, witness says

22-year-old attending Caribbean Carnival for first time says incident that unfolded before his eyes 'burned' into his memory

A fatal shooting involving Toronto police that killed Kevin Murray, of Ajax, at the Caribbean Carnival Saturday began as a three-way tussle over a firearm, according to a witness.

Riko Specogna was with his girlfriend and 15-year-old cousin overlooking the Lake Shore Boulevard West parade route when two pops of gunfire went off.

"We thought it was just firecrackers," said Specogna in an interview from Montreal.

He remembers seeing two black men, one of them wielding a gun, fighting a white male as gunfire discharged.

Specogna shouted to his girlfriend and cousin to take cover behind a car. When he turned around, he caught a glimpse of

"It's burned into my head. It's the first time I had seen something like it.... It was sad to see and disappointing because I wasn't even planning on going to Caribana."
RIKO SPECOGNA

Amrit Boodram, 18, clutching his eye as blood and tears dripped down his face after a bullet grazed his brow. Nearby, he saw Megan Martin, 21, clad in a carnival costume on the ground crying after being struck by another bullet. Martin underwent surgery and is recovering in hospital.

Specogna said the brawl dispersed after one of the men took possession of the gun. While an officer handcuffed one of the suspects on the ground, the armed 30-year-old man fled.

Reports said police officers commanded the suspect to get down and throw away the firearm repeatedly with no success. When the man stumbled, he dropped the gun. And as he attempted to pick it up, the arresting officer fired three shots, said Specogna.

According to a media report, the two black males were robbing Carnival revellers until the third male caught the act on camera, resulting in the fight.

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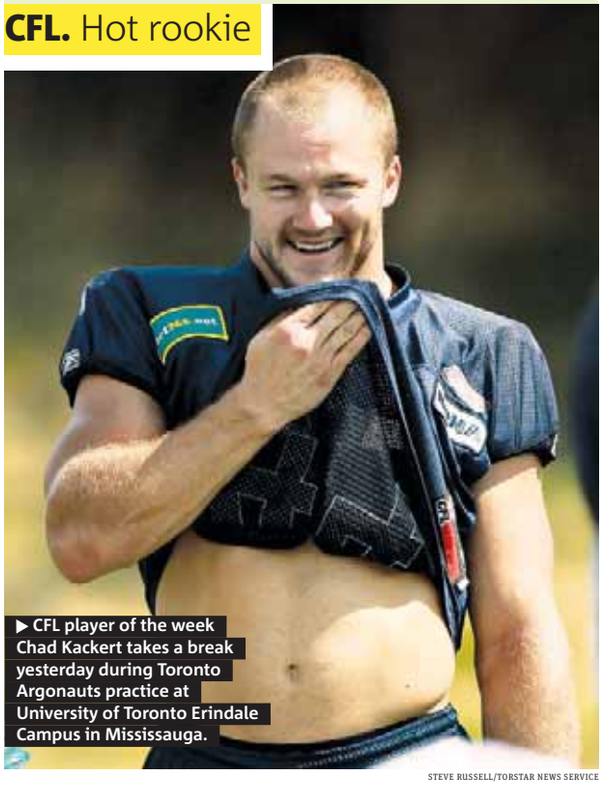

▶ CFL player of the week Chad Kackert takes a break yesterday during Toronto Argonauts practice at University of Toronto Erindale Campus in Mississauga.

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Argo named player of week

Chad Kackert is the first Argo to win a weekly award this season. He was named finest CFL offensive player of the week for his performance last Friday in a loss to the Edmonton Eskimos. Starting just his third CFL game, the rookie rushed for 139 yards on 20 carries and scored two touchdowns on runs of eight and 11 yards.

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Fiery crash claims life of off-duty cop

An off-duty Toronto police officer has died after a fiery collision between a motorcycle and truck on Highway 7 in Vaughan, sources confirm.

Riccardo Torchia, 30, was an officer in 23 division in northern Etobicoke where he had served for two-and-a-half years. He lived in Vaughan.

The accident happened around 2 p.m. yesterday, just east of Highway 50.

Pardeep Geja was in his auto body shop when he heard a loud noise.

When he went outside, he saw a truck parked to one side and a mangled motorcycle in the middle of the road. A man was lying on the ground.

"I saw the guy caught fire," Geja said.

Another man who worked in the same plaza went back to his shop to retrieve a fire extinguisher, and they tried to extinguish the flames, he said.

Geja said there was another motorcyclist, who looked shocked, standing on the side of the road.

Highway 7 from Highway 27 to Huntington Road was closed for hours after the crash.

This is the third death of a Toronto-area officer this year.

In June, York officer Const. Garrett Styles was killed after stopping a vehicle north of Newmarket. Toronto officer Sgt. Ryan Russell died in January after he was hit by a stolen snow plow.

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▶ Riccardo Torchia in a Facebook photo with his mother and sister.

Two killed in Thornhill home

Several neighbours said police had been called to the home in the past regarding domestic troubles

Two people are dead following a violent domestic attack in Thornhill late Monday night.

A 47-year-old woman was stabbed to death and a 50-year-old man, believed to be her husband, was shot dead by police at the Cottonwood Court home, near John Street and Don Mills Road.

York Regional Police called in the province's Special Investigations Unit, an independent agency that investigates reports involving police where there has been death, serious injury or allegations of sexual assault

In a statement, the SIU said the man died after he was shot by police during a confrontation at the home.

Neighbours described the pair, whose names were not immediately released, as a Middle Eastern couple who had lived in the three-storey home for about two years with their two daughters.

"It's very upsetting," said Evelyn Gildemeester, as she headed for a doctor's appointment and drove past a line of police vehicles. The street was shut down due to the probe by the SIU and the York police homicide squad.

"I'm really surprised. We've lived here 22 years and there's never been anything like this happening before," she added.

"I really feel sad for the family. They have two kids," said Claire Sun, who was jolted awake by the sound of a single gunshot at about 11:30 p.m.

"I didn't realize it was a gunshot until later, because it sounded like a door slamming and I was just falling asleep," said Sun. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

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▶ York Region officers canvass door-to-door yesterday on Cottonwood Court in Markham where a woman was stabbed to death and a man shot by police.

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CTV anchor candid about illness

CTV News Toronto anchor Ken Shaw says he has been treated for prostate cancer and is now doing fine.

Shaw took a moment during yesterday's 6 p.m. newscast to share news of his illness, having returned to work after a two-month absence.

The veteran anchor says he had surgery and it was successful.

Shaw, who urged that men get tested, said he had no symptoms and it was a routine blood test that revealed he had cancer.

He said he got the test after being warned by a family friend who later died of prostate cancer.

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Atwood says Ford may lose 'creative dollar'

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▶ Margaret Atwood says Mayor Rob Ford is waging a war on creative Torontonians, putting festivals and even conventions in the city at risk.

Mayor's 'war' on arts community may drive away festivals and visitors, the Toronto author says

Canadian literary icon Margaret Atwood has widened the library debate, accusing Mayor Rob Ford of waging a war on creative Torontonians that risks losing festivals and conventions to other cities.

In an interview with the Toronto Star on Monday, Atwood said Ford's refusal to take library cuts off the table — after his councillor brother Doug said he wants to close branches — and apparent eagerness to eliminate the city's arts grants programs are part of a pattern with financial risks for the city.

"Expressing contempt for creative people turns people away from Toronto as a venue, and that's a pretty serious consideration. If you're thinking of having a convention, you're thinking of having a concert, you're thinking of going to a festival, and that's the attitude?

"I'm sure Hamilton or Burlington or Oshawa would be very happy if some of those festivals and conventions moved there. Why shouldn't I spend my creative dollar in New York if I'm not welcome in Toronto?"

"My question to the council would be: 'Are people like me welcome in this city?'"

"You start with tossing off latte drinkers, gay Pride and bicycle riders and me, what's the message? The message is: 'We don't want you people here.'"
AUTHOR MARGARET ATWOOD

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Shattered glass still a puzzle

No one knows why shards of glass continue to fall from a downtown apartment building. The building's owner doesn't have an answer, the city's building inspectors are confounded and residents are baffled.

Glass partitions from the building's north-side balconies crashed to the ground Monday morning, littering Bay and Grosvenor streets. No one has been hurt, yet.

8 At least eight partitions have fallen from 37 Grosvenor St. on four different days since December.

After the last incident on July 21, where two panes of glass plummeted to the ground, the city deemed the building unsafe. The city previously ordered the developer to fix the affected balconies.

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Charges laid in wrong-way driving

A man is facing charges after police say a vehicle was spotted going the wrong way on Highway 407. Police say a vehicle was driven westbound in eastbound lanes on the highway in Vaughan.

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Ontario to help famine victims

The Ontario government is pledging $1 million to help people facing starvation in the hardest-hit countries of the Horn of Africa. The province says millions of lives are at stake due to severe droughts. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Toronto Zoo's lioness dies

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▶ Nokanda

The Toronto Zoo's first and only white lioness has died after vets discovered she had cancer.

Nokanda, who was 15 years old, was put down after tests revealed cancerous masses in her liver, the zoo's senior veterinarian Graham Crawshaw said.

Born at the Philadelphia Zoo in 1996, Nokanda was sent north of the border a year later.

Unlike a pair of white lion cubs the U.S. zoo had loaned to Toronto in 1995 after losing a friendly World Series bet, Nokanda became a permanent attraction. The milky white creature, whose "extremely rare" colouring was the result of a genetic variation, attracted record visitor numbers.

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Italy moves to ban burka in public

Draft law will go before parliament after summer recess Final approval of the bill is expected

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▶ A woman demonstrates against the burka ban in Paris. Italy could face similar protests if parliament passes a law barring face-covering veils in public.

Women in Italy could be barred from wearing face-covering veils in public under a proposed new law.

Draft legislation passed yesterday by the constitutional affairs commission in Rome would prohibit women from wearing a burka, niqab or any other garb that covers the face in such circumstances.

Third parties who force women to cover their faces in public would be fined 30,000 euros (about $41,000) and face up to 12 months in jail, news agency ANSA said.

The law was sponsored by Souad Sbai, a Moroccan-born member of the conservative Freedom People party, headed by Prime Minister Silvio Berlusconi.

The preliminary approval was welcomed by Barbara Saltamartini, a Freedom People caucus member.

"Final approval will put an end to the suffering of many women who are often forced to wear the burka or niqab, which annihilates their dignity and gets in the way of integration," Saltamartini said.

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Tropical. Torrent

▶ Residents ride through floodwaters yesterday in San Kampaeng district in Chiang Mai province, Thailand.

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Going with the flow

The drenching tropical storm Nock-Ten inundated 14 provinces in northern Thailand over the past few days, damaging wide swaths of farmland and claiming at least one life.

Doughnut shop worker nabbed in 'extra sugar' sting

There was more on the menu than Munchkins and lattes at a Dunkin' Donuts in New Jersey. Rockaway Township police say they launched Operation Extra Sugar when employee Melissa Redmond, 29, was observed taking breaks and going out to cars for 10 to 15 minutes at a time. Police said Redmond was arrested after offering "a good time" — and a price list — to an undercover officer. No one at Dunkin' Donuts would comment.

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Heir's pet poodle ranks right up there

There is no shortage of defamation and anger afoot against the royal family in Thailand, some of it pointedly directed at the king as well as Queen Sirikit. And it seems to be growing.

In Bangkok you can acquire DVDs with cartoons encouraging the use of the guillotine against the royals and see an infamous video of heir apparent Crown Prince Maha Vajiralongkorn, 59, with his third wife Princess Srirasmi — naked except for a G-string — singing "Happy Birthday" to their miniature poodle Fufu for a rolling camera.

It was at a 2007 dinner with the prince and princess, that U.S Ambassador Ralph "Skip" Boyce learned that Fufu had been awarded the rank of Air Marshall in the Thai Air Force.

With the prince in line to succeed his father, some advisers in the palace are concerned if not alarmed.

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Future of monarchy weighs heavily on a nation that revers its ailing king, world's longest reigning monarch

Towering high in the heavens overlooking the courtyard of Bangkok's Siriraj Hospital stands an illuminated portrait of Thailand's King Bhumibol, with a garland of dazzling neon lights proclaiming, "Long Live The King."

But how long does the king have to live?

On his own private floor in this hospital on the west bank of the Chao Phraya River, the 83-year-old king has battled Parkinson's, depression and a series of strokes since being admitted in September 2009.

Now his days appear numbered, a fact that has many in this nation of 68 million worried.

Stock markets have tumbled on rumours of his death. As recently as May rumours sent foreign diplomats scrambling for confirmation. Days later the royal household rolled the monarch out in a wheelchair, calming nerves

"The monarchy will end with the demise of the present king. If the new king is willing to be a puppet ... it will survive that way. But no longer as a real monarchy."

SULAK SIVARAKSA, THAI SOCIAL THINKER

The longest reigning monarch in the world — he was crowned in 1950 — King Bhumibol is also the world's richest by far, worth $30 billion.

But what is more important is this: Although he is a constitutional monarch, King Bhumibol is worshipped and adored as semi-supernatural force that binds the nation.

When he goes, many fear an eruption could occur in this ever-fractious country, increasingly known for its political street battles.

Critical or probing questions regarding the king and his family are not taken lightly. Still, what will happen to Bhumibol's fortune and the future of the monarchy upon his death are questions weighing on everyone's mind.

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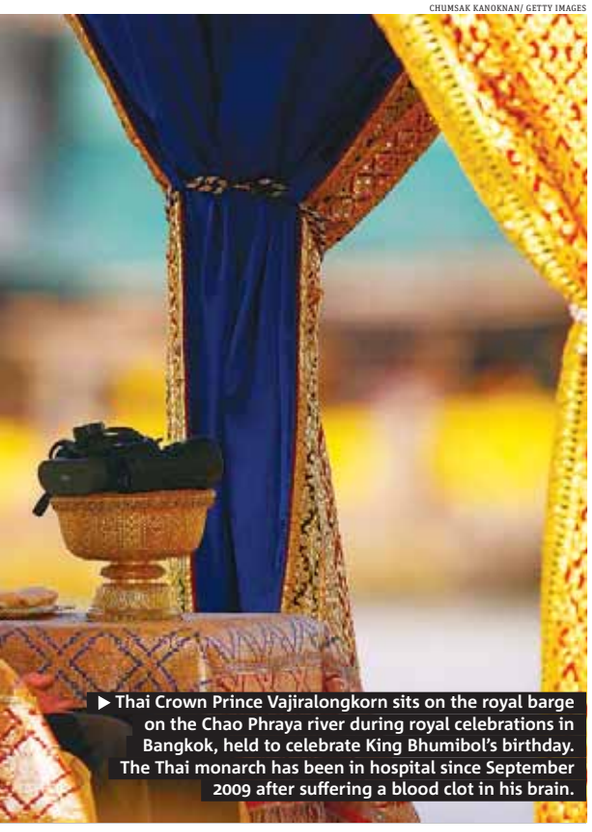

▶ Thai Crown Prince Vajiralongkorn sits on the royal barge on the Chao Phraya river during royal celebrations in Bangkok, held to celebrate King Bhumibol's birthday. The Thai monarch has been in hospital since September 2009 after suffering a blood clot in his brain.

Queen wears her politics on Yellow Shirt sleeve

Since King Bhumibol's illness, Queen Sirikit has seen her influence grow steadily over the past decade and enjoys major support from a loyal Thai military. But she has also had a polarizing effect in Thailand's political ferment.

Unlike the king who has always appeared, at least publicly, to be above politics, the queen signalled her open support for the Yellow Shirt loyalists in 2009, when she attended a funeral for a young Yellow Shirt protester.

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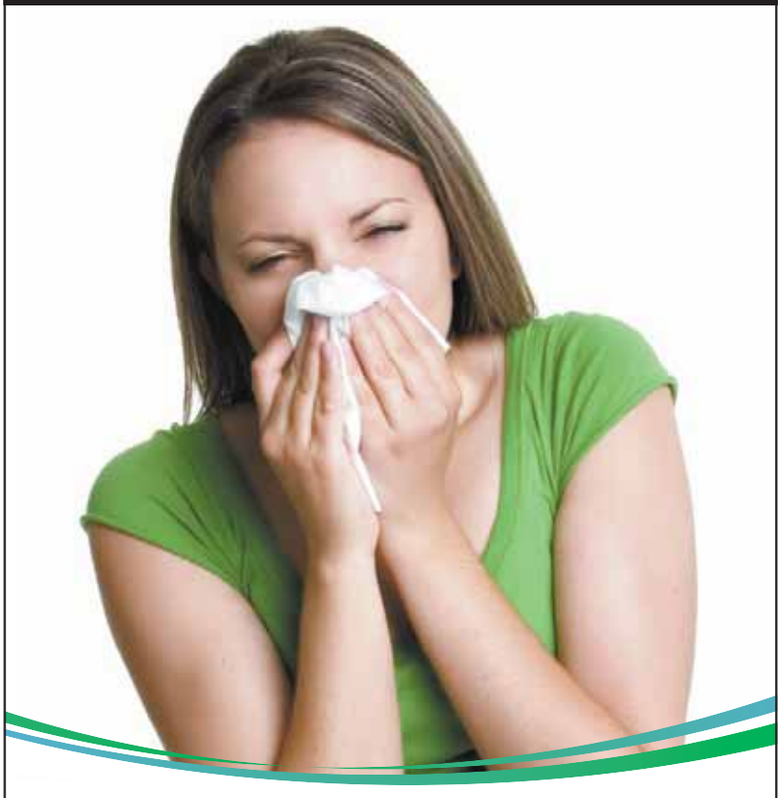

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▶ A vehicle erupts in flames during June's Stanley Cup riot in Vancouver.

Riot interpreted through dance

Former Ballet BC dancer says his performance piece will 'hit you from the side'

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A Vancouver dancer is creating a piece inspired by the Stanley Cup riot.

Former Ballet BC dancer Edmond Kilpatrick already had a dance piece in the works when Game 7 of the Stanley Cup final took place.

"I was so disturbed by what happened," said Kilpatrick yesterday.

"This performance should make people feel empowered — it's a fun thing and you don't know what you're going to get."
EDMOND KILPATRICK

"I reconfigured the work I was doing so I could comment about (the riot)."

He said the piece will explore the three participant groups involved in the riots: the instigators, the people who were swept up by it and people who watched in horror.

Kilpatrick's piece is a part of a popular contemporary performance series, Dances for a Small Stage, which returns to the Legion on the Drive in Vancouver's Commercial Drive neighbourhood Aug. 10 to 12.

Professor sucked into black hole study

An astrophysics professor at Saint Mary's University in Halifax could become one of the first astronomers in history to study and uncover new information about black holes and other cosmic events.

Luigi Gallo has been appointed principal investigator of the Canadian contribution to the Astro-H space mission, according to a draft press release on SMU's website. The announcement will officially be made on Thursday.

2014
The year the satellite is expected to be launched

Led by the Japanese Aerospace Exploration Agency, the international project will design and launch a unique satellite observatory capable of detecting and measuring X-rays produced by astronomical objects in the universe.

Gallo plans on using his viewing time to continue his research on the environment immediately surrounding black holes, the release said.

"The possibilities of what we could learn from this observatory are incredible," said the 38-year-old.

"We will not only view certain characteristics of astronomical objects for the first time, but we will also view them with a degree of accuracy and precision unparalleled in previous X-ray missions."

ALY THOMSON

U.S. dodges default bullet

Legislation raises borrowing cap by $900M, to be matched by budget cuts

The U.S. Senate emphatically passed emergency legislation yesterday to avoid a first-ever government default, rushing the legislation to U.S. President Barack Obama for his signature just hours before the deadline.

The vote was 74-26. Obama signed the bill little more than an hour later.

The vote pitted tea party Republican forces in the House against Obama and Democrats controlling the Senate. The resulting compromise paired an essential increase in the government's borrowing cap with promises of more than $2 trillion of budget cuts over the next decade.

Much of the measure, which the House passed Monday night, was negotiated on terms set by House Speaker John Boehner, including a demand that any increase in the nation's borrowing cap be matched by spending cuts. But the legislation also meets demands made by Obama, including debt-limit increases large enough to keep the government funded into 2013 and curbs on growth of the Pentagon budget.

The measure would provide an immediate $400 billion increase in the $14.3 trillion US borrowing cap, with $500 billion more assured this fall.

The measure establishes a special bipartisan committee to draft legislation to find up to $1.5 trillion US more in deficit cuts for a vote later this year.

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Giffords votes

Rep. Gabrielle Giffords, who was shot in the head in January, stunned the House by appearing on the floor to vote for the debt ceiling deal Monday.

- Giffords voted for the bill, which passed 269-161.
- She entered with just minutes remaining in the vote.

Market moment

PRICES AS OF 5 P.M. YESTERDAY

TSX	Dollar
- 193.31 (12,752.32)	- 0.52¢ (104.14¢ US)

Oil	Natural gas 1,000 cu ft
- $1.10 US ($93.79 US)	$4.139 (- 5¢)

Gold contracts $1,644.50 (+ $22.80)

BMW profit doubles on China sales

German automaker BMW AG says rising sales in China helped its profits more than double to $2.5 billion US in the second quarter, even as the growth of that key market began to ease.

The company credited a high-value model mix, with its 5-series sedan and X-3 sport utility showing large sales volume increases. Sales in China rose 52 per cent, even as the overall Chinese car market increased by 20 per cent.

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Saudi Arabia. Tower

▶ Saudi Prince Alwaleed bin Talal stands next to a model of the world's tallest tower — to be built in the Red Sea city of Jeddah — during a press conference yesterday in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia.

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Reaching for Dubai's record

The Kingdom Tower will be more than 1,000 metres tall and cost $1.2 billion US to build. The plans make Saudi Arabia a front-runner in the race between the oil-rich Gulf nations for glitzy, architectural trophies that dot their desert territories. The projects are seen as status symbols to show off both economic success and cultural sophistication. At 828 metres, Burj Khalifa in Gulf neighbour Dubai is currently the tallest building in the world.

Another arrest in U.K. phone-hacking scandal

Detectives investigating phone hacking and police bribery at defunct British tabloid the News of the World yesterday arrested the newspaper's former managing editor, police and British media said.

He is the latest in a string of executives to be questioned about wrongdoing at the Rupert Murdoch-owned newspaper.

Police said a 71-year-old man had been arrested. Sky News, which is 39 per cent owned by the newspaper's parent company, News Corp., identified him as former News of the World managing editor Stuart Kuttner. Kuttner retired in 2009 after 29 years at the tabloid, 22 of them as managing editor.

Meanwhile, an activist who hit Murdoch with a shaving-foam pie as the mogul testified to British lawmakers has been sentenced to six weeks in jail. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Toyota bouncing back from quake blow

Toyota eked out a $14-million US quarterly profit and raised its annual earnings forecast yesterday despite the devastation of the earthquake and tsunami in northeastern Japan.

Still, April-June profit for the world's biggest automaker was a fraction of what it earned the same period the previous year.

All Japanese automakers were hit by a shortage of key parts after the March 11 earthquake and tsunami destroyed suppliers in northeastern Japan.

Toyota's sales were affected not only in Japan but also in the U.S. and other important markets as reduced car production fell short of demand.

But the maker of the Prius hybrid, Camry sedan and Lexus luxury models appears to be bouncing back quicker than expected, as are rival Japanese automakers. The quarterly profit was better than expected. A survey of analysts had forecast Toyota to report a quarterly loss.

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▶ Toyota's senior managing officer Takahiko Ijichi addresses a press conference in Tokyo yesterday.

SOMETHING ABOUT MEN AND THEIR BUILDINGS

JUST SAYIN' ...

PAUL SULLIVAN
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This World's Tallest Building thing is completely out of control.

A Saudi prince — it's never a Saudi princess — with more money than brains must be bored with his private jets, yachts, palaces and 200 luxury autos, etc., and has decided what he really needs is the world's tallest building, so he's building a one-kilometre-tall tower in Jeddah, Saudi Arabia.

When it's finished, it will eclipse the current tallest building in the world, Dubai's Burj Khalifa, a piffling 828 metres, built by some other, lesser sheik magnate. The CN Tower is even more piffling at 553 metres.

Prince Al-Waleed Bin Talel Alsaud is Saudi Arabia's richest man. He's also the nephew of the Saudi king and clocks in at number 26 on the Forbes list of the world's richest billionaires. He's worth a cool $19.6 billion.

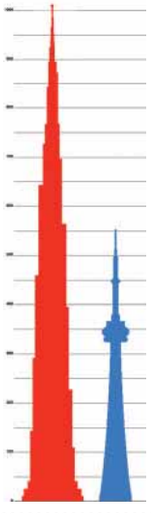
He owns a big stake in Citibank and GM and, believe it or not, Rupert Murdoch's News Corp., where he's the second-largest shareholder after the Murdoch family.

This guy is fascinating, and not just because he owns half of the free world. He's progressive: All for democracy and job creation, and at his offices women don't have to wear the abaya, or burqa, the body-cloaking outfit that most Saudi women have to wear in public. Sixty-five per cent of his employees are women.

He's media-savvy. He writes pieces for the New York Times. He says News of the World is a "rotten apple" that deserved to be shut down. Time magazine calls him the "Warren Buffett of Saudi Arabia."

He's just like Warren Buffett … except he wouldn't be happy living in the house he bought in 1958 for $31,000 … in Omaha.

As rich princes go, Al-Waleed bin Talel is no doubt a gem and should be encouraged. There's just this little propensity for self-aggrandizing phallic symbols he should work on. Do they have a 12-step program for men who like women to see their big buildings?



The big building in question will include 5.4 million square feet of hotel, luxury apartments, condos and offices. The Kingdom Tower will be more than 1,000 metres high and will be the centrepiece of Kingdom City, a development that stretches two square miles beyond the bounds of wretched excess.

This is nothing. It was once designed to climb one mile into the stratosphere, but something about the sandy soil caused the prince to scale down the size of his, um, ambition.

Those of us who wonder why anyone would build one of these freaking things in the desert, where there's nothing but room, obviously doesn't understand the Saudi prince philosophy, which can be summed up in three little words: "Mine is bigger."

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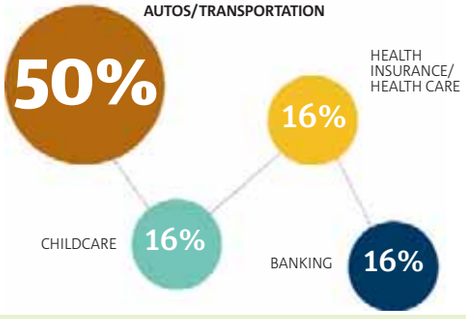

Local tweets

@gerrynic: PR idea for NDP: Dress up Nycole Turmel in a Mountie outfit and put a Canadian flag in one hand and a Timbit in the other.

@dylanreid: I gather a talented and experienced woman deserted the Bloc for a federalist party before the last election. That's good news, right?

@polonoscopy: Why worry about the maybe, sort of, kind of, once in the past, separatist when there is a kid in parliament who has never paid his own rent!

@advmehdi: Media: "once a separatist, always a separatist" - And we wonder why we're having trouble convincing them to join the federation.

@steviepeters: Friend just informed me that Jay Z and Yeezy possibly arguing? DANGER TO WATCH THE THRONE.

@vbhatto8: I really wanna go to the Watch The Throne concert but tickets are so expensive...anyone wanna hook me up? :)

@sashakalra: Its 3pm and I have already bought OFWGKTA AND Watch the Throne tickets for the Toronto show's. #awesome #golfwang

Worth mentioning

KILLER. A vial of serial killer Ted Bundy's blood has been found in Florida and investigators will use the newly discovered evidence to try to solve cases that went cold decades ago.

Before he was executed in 1989, Bundy confessed to more than 30 murders and was suspected of many more. A complete DNA profile couldn't be developed for the serial killer until the blood was found. The full profile will be uploaded to the FBI's national database Friday, giving authorities key evidence to possibly link Bundy to long-unsolved crimes.

The vial was discovered after Florida authorities received a call from a detective working a cold case in Tacoma, Wash. The blood had been taken in 1978 when Bundy was arrested in the death of a 12-year-old girl in Columbia County, Fla., The News Tribune reported.

The Tacoma detective was investigating the 1961 disappearance of Ann Marie Burr, a six-year-old who vanished from her home in the middle of the night. Bundy is among several possible suspects.

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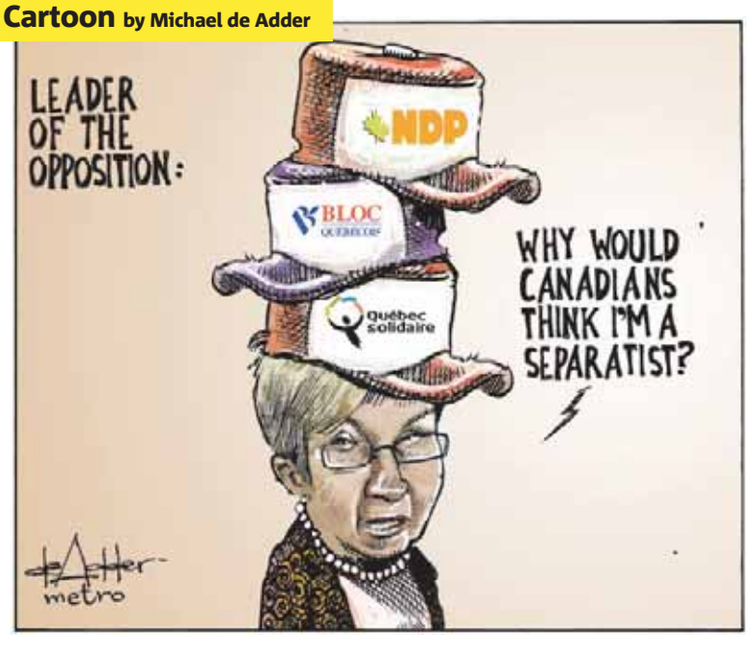

WEIRD NEWS

Longest bra chain attempt tied in knots

An attempt at the world record for longest chain of bras has been called off after organizers caught a snag, the BBC reported.

The United Kingdom group, known as "hookers" were trying to link enough bras together to wrap around the Worcester racecourse 95 times, or over 160 kilometres, according to Global Post.

The current record for longest chain of linked bras, 166,625 in total, is held by Australians.

But organizers said the bras became tangled as they were removed from the boxes, and could not be separated quickly enough to challenge the Guinness World Record.

"We couldn't get the bras out quick enough," one of the bra chain organizers told the BBC. "Like Christmas lights, you put them away nicely, but when you go to get them they don't come out." METRO

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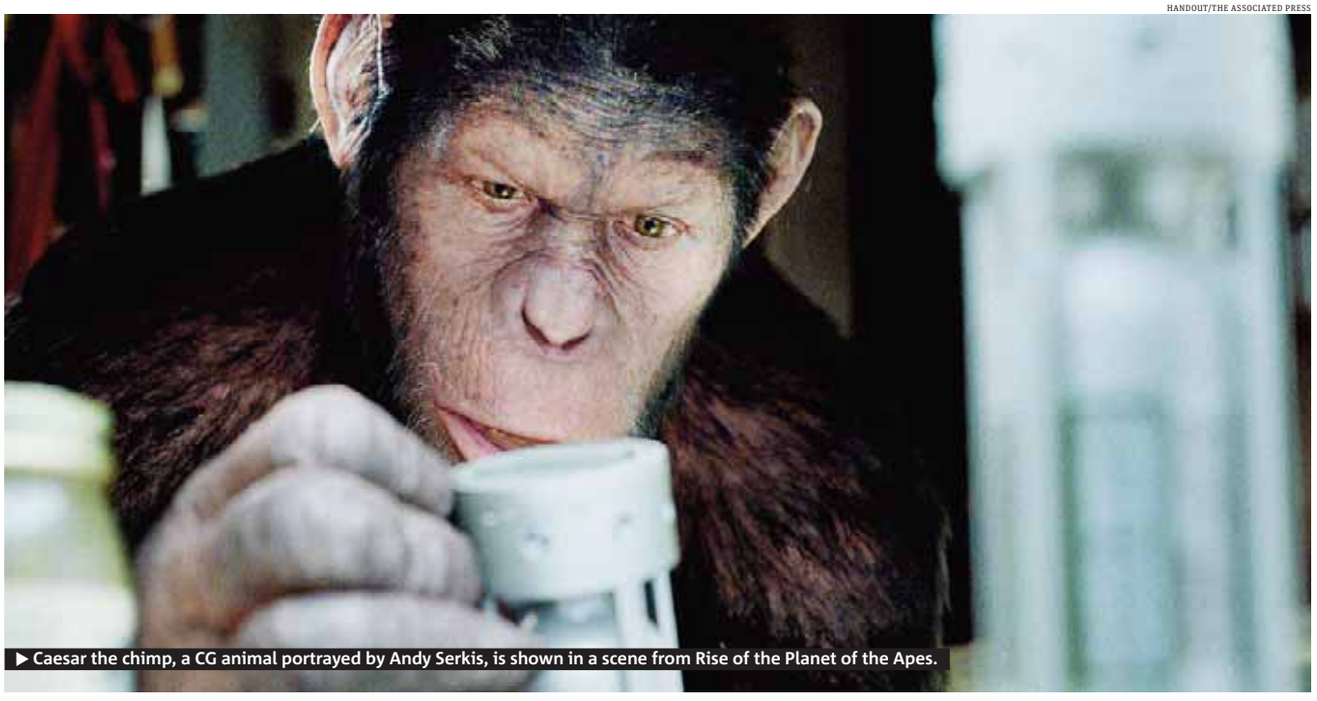

▶ Caesar the chimp, a CG animal portrayed by Andy Serkis, is shown in a scene from Rise of the Planet of the Apes.

Learning from apes

Rise of the Planet of the Apes director speaks about carrying on the franchise traditions

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The last time the world saw a movie about a world run by talking monkeys it was in director Tim Burton's wonky 2001 remake of Franklin J. Shaffner's landmark future shock sci-fi classic Planet of the Apes. Burton's redux offered impressive updates in prosthetic ape make-up effects (tweaking the iconic original masks designed by John Chambers) but little else was bettered, with a goofy, tongue-in-cheek tone replacing the first films intelligent social paranoia and terror.

And now comes yet another re-visit, Rupert Wyatt's Rise of the Planet of the Apes, opening wide this Friday. And though it's a film that no serious Apes fanatic asked for, it's clear after talking to Wyatt that when it comes to treating this franchise re-boot with both affection and respect, he isn't monkeying around.

"We made a radical departure from the original story," Wyatt says, "which had a plague wiping out pets and apes becoming slaves, becoming pets and domestic servants. That was fantastical. But we started with something a bit more plausible, which is the aspect of creating intelligence within existing primates through genetic research."

While certainly its own entity and designed as ground zero in a proposed new Apes series, Rise is in many ways a loose remake of the fourth official Planet of the Apes picture, 1972's Conquest for the Planet of the Apes. Like that film, Rise charts the revolution of a chimpanzee named Caesar (played by the late Roddy McDowell in both Conquest and the final film, Battle for the Planet of the Apes), who leads his simian comrades in a bloody war to overturn supremacy of the world from human to ape. But unlike Conquest, the apes were not realized by actors wearing masks. Instead actor Andy Serkis (King Kong) becomes a digital chimp using sophisticated modern motion capture technology courtesy of Weta Workshop (Avatar).

"It was the only way," says the director, "that we could authentically capture their movement. The closest model for what we've done is King Kong but the technology has been perfected since then…every strand of hair has been individually designed."

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New Spider-Man

Marvel Comics says the mantle of Spider-Man — killed earlier this summer — is being taken up by Miles Morales, a half-black, half-Hispanic teen keen on following in Parker's steps.
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A LOOK BEHIND THE PLANET OF THE APES' MASKS

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There have been plenty of real flesh and fur movie monkeys.

Peggy the Chimp starred alongside future president Ronald Reagan in Bedtime for Bonzo, and, of course, the Tarzan movies made a superstar out of Cheeta the Chimp. But for me the best moving picture primates were actors dressed up in monkey masks.

Long before computer generated special effects made digital apes like the ones featured in this weekend's The Rise of the Planet of the Apes possible, a make-up artist named John Chambers pioneered primate make-up. His work in the original Planet of the Apes was based on a technique he developed during World War II to give disfigured veterans a natural look.

Later his make-up work earned him a special Academy Award (his statue was presented by a tuxedo clad chimpanzee) but before the movie rolled he had to persuade the studio his techniques would look convincing. To do so he shot a test scene with actor Edward G Robinson, who found the make-up sessions too grueling and left the movie as a result. Won over, the studio approved the make-up budget — an astronomical, for the time, $1 million, almost one sixth of the entire budget.

Chambers put together a team of more than 80 people, delaying several other movies by causing a shortage of make-up artists in Hollywood.

On location in the Arizona desert the lead actors spent three to four hours in the make-up chair every day. Because the applications took so long to apply, the actors couldn't take them off until the very end of the day. Since they were encased in make-up for 12 to 18 hour stretches, they had to "eat" liquefied meals through straws, and, as star Roddy McDowell found out, they couldn't sneeze. He achoo-ed one day and blew half his chimp face off.

The make-up process was so intense that Kim Hunter, who played chimpanzee psychologist and veterinarian Zira, had to be prescribed valium to keep her calm during the sessions. She spent so much time made up that when her co-star Charlton Heston saw her sans make-up for the first time he didn't recognize her.

Some of the actors had fun with the make-up, however. McDowell liked driving home still made up just to see the surprised faces of the drivers on the freeway.

The following four Apes sequels featured actors in make-up, but for me, the original contains the best monkey business.

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▶ The makeup from the old Planet of the Apes films took up to four hours each day.

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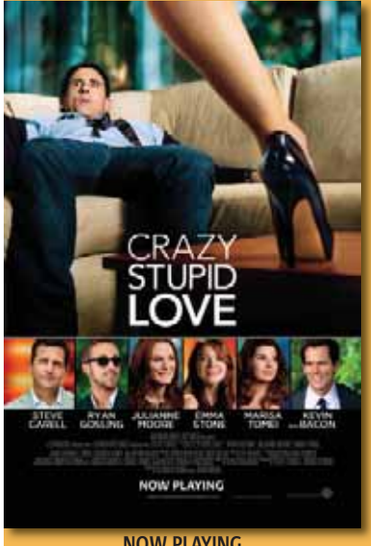

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The Devil will do what he wants to

Dominic Cooper speaks about playing dual roles in The Devil's Double ◆ Portrays son of Saddam Hussein

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▶ Dominic Cooper stars in The Devil's Double.

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While Dominic Cooper has received rave reviews for his previous work in films like The History Boys and An Education, none of them have necessarily been from the actor himself — until now.

"I am for the first time ever very proud of it. You so rarely are," the 33-year-old actor says of The Devil's Double, his new film. "You look at stuff that you do and you just pick holes in it. You go, 'It's all right. It's just me, being an idiot on the screen, farting around. I can't believe I got paid for that. Ridiculous.'"

In The Devil's Double, Cooper takes on the real-life roles of Uday Hussein — son of Saddam — and Latif, an Iraqi soldier pressed into service as Uday's body double.

"It was difficult doing the third character, which was him impersonating Uday," Cooper says. "What we do in our ridiculous profession, why would a guy who was a soldier and a good man be able to throw himself into impersonating this horrific monster?"

Horrific monster might be putting it lightly, as Uday's transgressions, as seen through Latif's eyes, defy any sense of morality.

"There were no limits to him as a man, as a human being, or to me portraying him. I thought, he didn't care what he did, he didn't care how people responded. He'd do what he pleased whenever. So I took the role on like that."

There are more important reactions than his own to worry about, of course — especially considering Cooper took on the tricky job of playing a different race. "I look forward to hearing people's reactions from that part of the world, that region," he says. And they've already been rolling in, apparently.

"I got a compliment the other guy from a bus who'd only seen the trailer. He leaned out the window and said, 'Are you that bloke from that trailer?' He was an Arabic guy, and he was like, 'You play a really good Arab.'"

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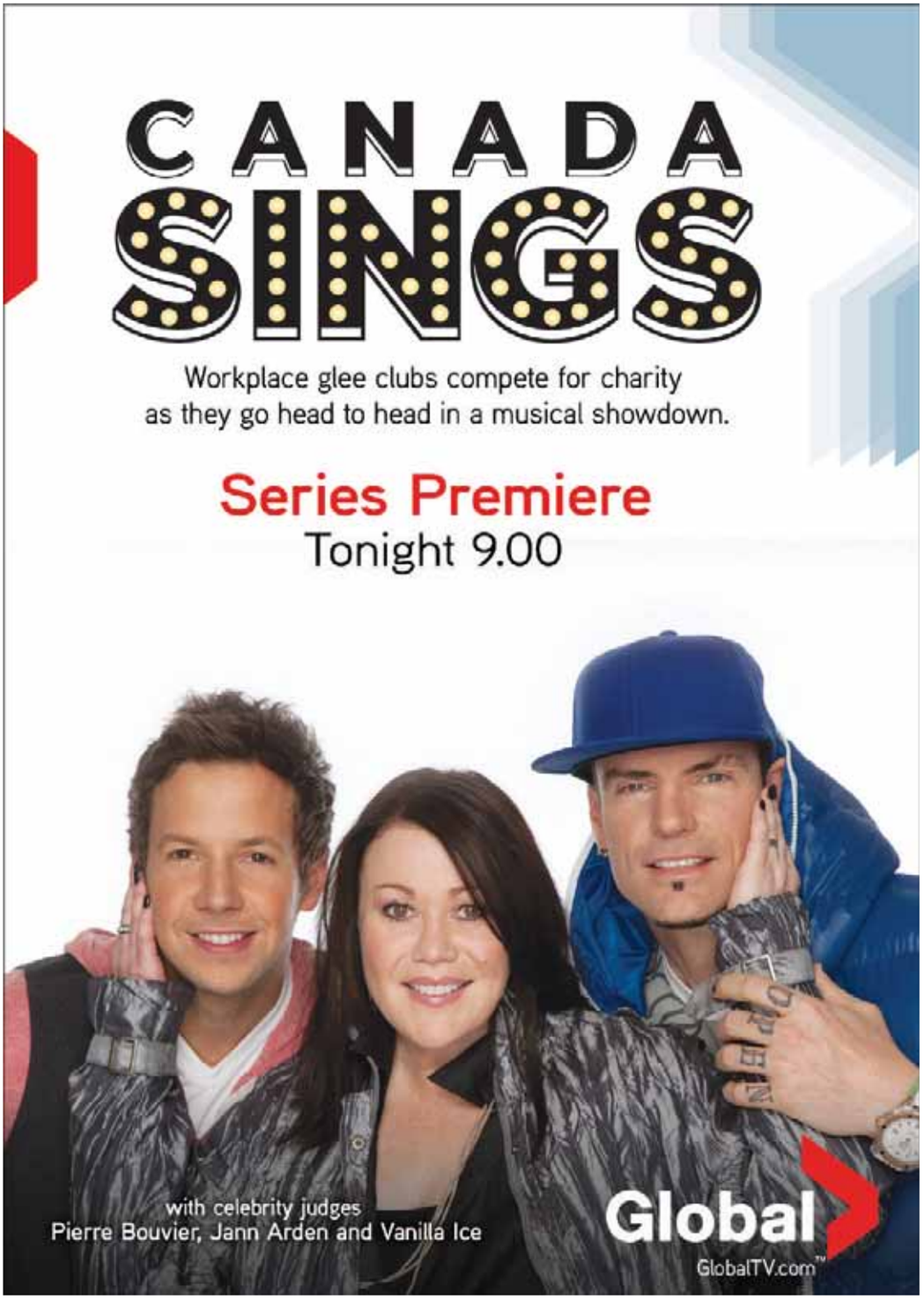

Celebrity tweets

@GwynethPaltrow
"Who do I have to bang to get an advance copy of the new @coldplay album? I mean, really."

@colin_hanks
"It goes without saying that if there is any kind of SNL retrospective on tv I will watch it. Sleep will just have to wait"

@ConanOBrien
"Just in case, I start every phone conversation with, 'You can hang up now, Rupert Murdoch.'"

@MissKellyO
"i have watched the sun come up for 6 days in a row i must admit i kinda like it!"

'I remain an eternal optimist about love': J. Lo

- Star dishes to Vanity Fair magazine about her split from Marc Anthony
- New mom says her career taking off again didn't help their marriage

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Jennifer Lopez is opening up about her divorce from husband Marc Anthony and what led to their breakup.

"This was the hardest decision I've ever had to face. I really wanted this family to work," she tells Vanity Fair, adding that getting her career back on track played a major role in the breakdown of their relationship.

"We had the first three years of our marriage just for us. I wasn't working, it was mainly about him. Then we got pregnant. Then it became about the kids. And then I started working again," she says.

Still, Lopez hasn't given up on finding love again.

"Sometimes it doesn't work — and that's sad. But I remain an eternal optimist about love. I believe in love. It's still my biggest dream," she says. METRO

▶ Jennifer Lopez

Lindsay's ex arrested for drunk driving

Samantha Ronson, Lindsay Lohan's ex-girlfriend, was reportedly arrested for driving under the influence Monday morning.

The celebrity DJ was heading back to L.A. after a gig in Las Vegas when she was stopped for speeding at 10:30 a.m., according to TMZ. METRO

▶ Samantha Ronson

Leonardo DiCaprio had a lucrative year

▶ Leonardo DiCaprio

Leonardo DiCaprio has topped the Forbes magazine list of highest paid actors, bringing in a reported $77 million in 2010.

DiCaprio did well on his two big releases last year, Inception and Shutter Island, earning an initial fee of around $15 million per film plus shares of each movie's profits.

Coming in second on the list is Johnny Depp, who earned $50 million thanks to Alice in Wonderland and The Tourist.

Adam Sandler ($40 million), Will Smith ($36 million) and Tom Hanks ($35 million) round out the top five. METRO

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A once bustling port, Victoria-by-the-Sea now draws visitors with its small-town charm and laid-back vibe • Tiny Prince Edward Island town boasts a historic theatre, lighthouse museum and the biggest tree on the island

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▶ Time seems to have passed by Victoria-by-the-Sea, a once-busy port that boasted three wharfs.

Plenty to explore by the sea

For visitors to quaint and picturesque Victoria-by-the-Sea, P.E.I., it seems as if time has passed the community by — and that's a good thing.

The relaxed atmosphere of a community that has seen little change in decades is just fine with visitors and the collection of artisans who make the village their home.

"This is gorgeous, just beautiful," said Dodie Smith of Gatineau, Que., during a recent visit.

"It's just a beautiful, tranquil place to come."

A once bustling port, Victoria was founded in 1819, and by the late 1800s the settlement boasted three wharfs and many thriving businesses.

"It was the third largest port in Prince Edward Island at one point," said Henry Dunsmore, who owns the Studio Gallery along with his wife Doreen.

But Dunsmore said as better roads were developed it became less expensive to export products by trucks, rather than by ships.

He said with the extension of the Trans Canada highway the community was eventually bypassed and many businesses left.

"Victoria went into a lull and basically became a quaint little village for about two decades, and then the community dwindled as people started moving away for jobs," Dunsmore said.

At the centre of Victoria is the community hall. For the last 30 years it has been the Victoria Playhouse.

The 154-seat theatre is home to performances between late June and the end of September that include both locally produced plays and professional productions.

"It's small, it's intimate, it's beautiful," said general manager Pat Smith.

There's a lot to discover while waiting for a show to start, as you visit the museum in the lighthouse or stroll down Russell Street to see the biggest tree in P.E.I. Along Main Street and a few side streets you will find an amazing selection of small stores.

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If you go

- **How to get there:** Victoria-by-the-Sea is on the south shore of P.E.I., between Charlottetown and Summerside. It is accessible from the Trans-Canada Highway.
- For more info, visit victoriabythesea.ca.

3 life

Art/wine tour

The latest high-brow offering in the Okanagan Valley is a combination art/wine tour at Mission Hill Family Estate. Over 50 sculptures by Parisian artist Nathalie Decoster have been installed in a temporary exhibit at the winery, both indoors in the barrel cellar and tasting room, and outside among the vines. The Decoster Art & Wine tour runs each weekend until October. For details, go to missionhillwinery.com.

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It's a hard rock life in Penticton

B.C. mountain city offers world-renowned rock climbing area The view is beautiful, but don't look down

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I'm no daring adventurer. "Danger" is not my middle name. In fact, walking up a short staircase can trigger my paralyzing fear of heights.

But while visiting the beautiful little city of Penticton, in B.C.'s Okanagan region recently, I just had to confront my fear in the name of fun. Just above the quiet little city, towers Skaha Bluffs, a very popular and world renowned rock climbing area, and a scenic one at that.

Three parallel canyons contain some very intimidating sheer rock climbing walls, with frightening names like The Fortress and Doctor's Wall. I've never done any rock climbing or repelling down rock cliffs, but I soon found myself donning a helmet and strapping into a harness, ready to "walk" down a very steep 40 foot rock wall.

A good rule of thumb while doing this is not to look down. Repeat ... don't look down, especially if you're afraid of heights. Admittedly, my heart was beating like a drum as I slowly worked my way down the rock face. Fear hit when I glanced down to see ant-sized people.

DARREN PARKMAN/FOR METROL

▶ Writer Darren Parkman faces his fear of heights in Penticton, B.C.

Thankfully, in about two minutes if was all over and I was on the ground, standing upright again.

Skaha Bluffs is just one jewel in the under-rated Penticton area, which is nestled between Skaha and Okanagan Lakes.

Perhaps the most famous local pastime in the summer months is the inner tube canal ride which runs between the two lakes. This isn't rocket science. You basically grab a tube, jump on, and then lazily float from Okanagan lake to Skaha lake via the canal.

On any given warm day, hundreds partake in this relaxing pastime, making the odd mid water collisions inevitable. Still, it's almost a right of passage for out of towners. With desert-like heat in the summer, and little rain or snow in the winter, Penticton has to be considered a holiday spot in B.C.

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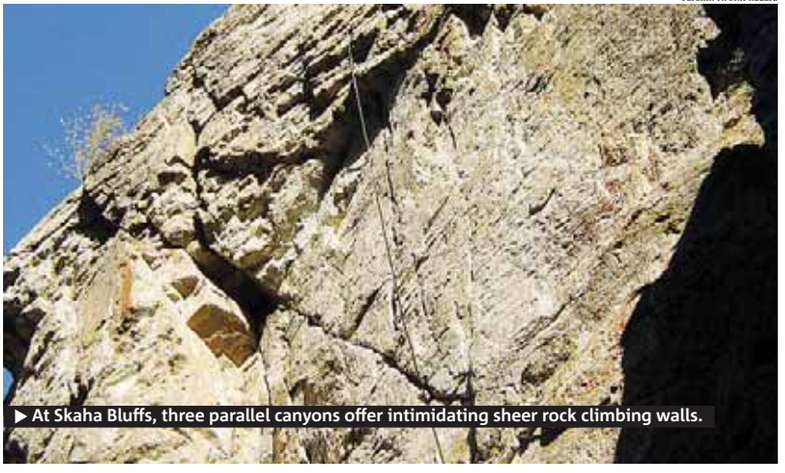

▶ At Skaha Bluffs, three parallel canyons offer intimidating sheer rock climbing walls.

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▶ Visitors can zipline between rock faces as well as climb them.

What to do

- **Visit local wineries:** Nearby Naramata features several great wineries including Laughing Stock Vinyards, and Hillside Estate Winery. Many also have fantastic restaurants with grape vines as a backdrop.
- **Stay at God's Mountain Estate:** This mountain top Bed and Breakfast features cool Mediterranean architecture, and a very eclectic ambiance. Honeymoon couples like to stay in the famous roofless room.

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London's calling all cyclists

Olympic organizers hope to get visitors biking the city New paths and a bike hire plan are part of a strategy to green up the Summer Games

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▶ London mayor Boris Johnson and model Kelly Brook ride bikes near London's Tower Bridge as part of a publicity campaign to encourage Olympic spectators to ride bikes next year.

Much of London's rich history is off the tourist trail, but thanks to the 2012 Games, those gems are now easier to explore and to see — if, as Olympic organizers hope, you travel by bike or on foot.

Which you should.

Organizers are encouraging Olympic spectators to walk and cycle to events by making it easier for them to do so. The idea is that people get the walking-cycling bug and keep it long after the Olympics have moved on.

To be green, London wants all spectators to leave their cars at home. The vast majority will travel on London public transport, which carries 12 million travellers on a normal day but will be even busier at games-time. Olympic planners expect at least four per cent will cycle and walk and are aiming for more, not least to ease strain on trains.

You see far more of a city by bike. And London's transport authority offers free cycle maps.

One canal path takes cyclists from the Olympic Park south to Limehouse Basin on the Thames in 30 minutes of easy riding. From there, another absorbing cycle along quaint and mostly empty backstreets will take you to the Tower of London.

The cycle maps show that, aside from occasional breaks here and there where cyclists would need to travel on roads, another path along Grand Union Canal, then Regent's Canal and finally Hertford Union Canal to the Olympic Park snakes right across North London.

The city's cycle hire scheme is also being expanded from central London eastward closer to the Olympic Park. Anyone aged 14 and over and with the right brand of credit card (not all cards are accepted) can take one of the 6,000 bicycles from any of 400 hire points.

They could be a smart way to explore Hyde Park that will host triathlon and marathon swimming next summer. There also are hire points around Lord's Cricket Ground that will host archery and Horse Guards Parade where there'll be beach volleyball. The bikes could also suit Londoners or any visitor simply trying to move around the Olympic-congested city.

"By 2012, we'll be able to invite the entire world to join London's cycling revolution," Mayor Boris Johnson declared last November.

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If you go

- **Bike hire scheme:** tfl.gov.uk/roadusers/cycling/14808.aspx
- **Game's organizers' cycle tips:** london2012.com/visiting/getting-to-the-games/transport-options/cycling.php
- **Tours to Olympic sites:** bikeworks.org.uk/bikehire.php

FLICKR: ANNIE MOLE

▶ Bird's eye view of London.

Improved bike paths

Walking and cycling paths leading to venues have been spruced up and connected up. There's a lovely one, for example, that runs the length of the west side of the Olympic Park, beside a very pleasant canal with ducks and houseboats. The path has a fresh gravel top and, at one point, dips under four massive metal pipes that form part of Bazalgette's sewer system. There's a plaque there with his name and the construction date: 1862-63.

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▶ Hertford Union Canal

Olympic organizers say more than $40 million has been spent upgrading cycling and walking routes to all venues.

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NEWCOMERS' GUIDE TO THE CITY

Best city getaways

Whether you're looking for a picnic spot, bike trail or soccer field, Toronto's parks have something for everyone Here are some highlights, from butterfly gardens to water slides

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HIGH PARK

WHY WE LOVE IT: High Park, in the west end of the city, has just about everything imaginable for a wonderful day-long family excursion. There's a state-of-the-art playground with castles, ropes, swings and ladders, a swimming pool with a huge slide, picnic tables, and lots of space to hike or bike. Grenadier Pond borders the park on the west — fishing is allowed on the south side (visit the dollar store and buy an inexpensive fishing rod for the kids).

WHAT YOU'LL SEE: Some of the prettier plants include Butterfly Weed, a native plant with bright orange flowers and dark green lance-shaped leaves; Indian Grass, a graceful tall plant with small yellow flowers in the summer; and Smooth Rose, an aromatic plant with white and pink blooms.

DON'T MISS: The park's small zoo where you can see bison, deer, llamas, peacocks and highland cattle! Bring your camera.

HOW TO GET THERE: By transit: High Park subway station, walk south. By car: Park entrance is south off Bloor Street (or off Parkside to the east).

DUFFERIN GROVE PARK

WHY WE LOVE IT: This park is all about family and community with activities and programs everyone will enjoy. Splash with kids in the wading pool, watch teens shoot hoops or just sit and have a leisurely picnic. Be sure to visit the community gardens: a children's garden, a butterfly garden and a kitchen garden (with lots of herbs). And check Friends of Dufferin Grove Park (dufferinpark.ca) before you go. The group regularly hosts local theatre troupes, art festivals and friendly drop-in programs including kid-friendly art in the park.

WHAT YOU'LL SEE: Lots of chipmunks and squirrels, as well as globe thistle and some beautiful trees: black walnut, white pine, black maple and Japanese cherry trees.

DON'T MISS: Pizza day on Sundays — kids and grown-ups alike can make their own pizzas in a wood-burning oven ($2.50 per pizza is the requested donation).

HOW TO GET THERE: By transit: Take the #29 Dufferin bus, one stop north of College, three stops south of Bloor; or take the subway to Dufferin station and walk or catch the Dufferin bus going south.

SUNNYBROOK PARK

WHY WE LOVE IT: Sunnybrook is a huge friendly park that is the perfect spot for a barbecue or a Sunday stroll. There are wide open spaces for different sports including soccer and football. Or, watch a cricket match — the turf wickets are superb and the site of some international matches. There are several bike trails throughout the park too.

WHAT YOU'LL SEE: There is plenty of nature and plant life to marvel at, including wildflowers, ferns and shrubs, and trees such as sugar maple, Eastern hemlock, beech and white pine.

DON'T MISS: You might have seen riders on horses — there are stables hidden deep within the park. There's also a fenced off-leash area near the riding stables to run your dog.

HOW TO GET THERE: By transit: Take the Leslie Street #51, Eglinton East #34 or Lawrence East #54. The park is about a 15-minute walk from the bus stop. By car: Entrance is off Leslie through Wilket Creek Park.

Editor's pick

Best hidden gem

Franklin's Children's Garden on Centre Island: Inspired by the popular children's book character Franklin the Turtle, visitors are welcome to enjoy gardening, storytelling and visiting sculptures from the Franklin the Turtle series. Learn all about how plants grow at Kids Can Press Little Sprouts Garden or about wetlands at Turtle Pond, or just enjoy playing in the vine tunnel or at the treehouse. The Unilever Snail Trail is filled with flowers, plants and butterflies!

How to get there: Take the Centre Island ferry from the ferry docks at the foot of Bay Street.

Don't miss: Reptilia, a huge indoor reptile zoo in Vaughan, north of Toronto. Learn about — and touch — snakes, lizards, turtles, a crocodile and more.

Reader's favourites

Miranda Bharadwaj
The Beltline Trail that connects to Cedarvale Park is my favourite because I can run there and I don't have to stop at stoplights.

Charles Tabone
Taylor Creek Park — good bike trails and it's hilly.

Rachel Dudley
The ravine by Mount Pleasant ... has really nice trails.

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We didn't know anyone in Buenos Aires until an unplanned lunch at a Florida theme park in January sat us next to Diego, Maria and son Franco. Thanks to Facebook we landed in the city to find "familia." What followed was a backyard asado, dining at Cafe Tortoni, riding the subway and more, all with a city's champion at our side. We won't ever forget that there is no such thing as a chance encounter.

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Simplifying a Middle Eastern fave

The Muslim holy month of Ramadan began this week
Celebrate with a tasty shawarma

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▶ The shawarma can be made with a variety of meat.

With the Muslim holy month of Ramadan having started this week, millions of the religions followers will be fasting during the long, hot days of August.

Ramadan requires daily fasts of food and water during daylight hours.

Typically, observers eat a meal before dawn and break their fast at sunset.

The fast-breaking meal is seen by many Muslims as an opportunity to gather with family and friends.

Ramadan is also seen as an opportunity to improve — spiritually and personally.

A favourite Middle Eastern dish is the Shawarma, a sandwich-like wrap of shaved chicken, lamb, beef or goat.

The meat is placed on a spit and may be grilled for as long as a day.

In this version, you're able to make the dish at home in a just few steps.

Preparation:

1. Spread the cardamon, cumin, tumeric and paprika over the chicken, add oil and rub with hands so all pieces of chicken are evenly covered. Refrigerate the chicken up to 24 hours or if using, set aside. Season it with salt, pepper just before sautéing.

2. Heat a large non-stick skillet. When it is very hot, add half of the chicken and sauté, covered, on high flame (cook chicken in two batches so you don't overload pan and end up with steamed chicken). When the chicken is golden-brown on the bottom, turn it over and continue cooking it until done. Wait 2-3 minutes. Transfer to cutting board, slice thinly. Repeat with any other batches of chicken that you may have.

3. To make the garlic sauce, blend the garlic, salt, lemon juice in a blender until the mixture is smooth. Gradually add sunflower and olive oils in a thin steady stream while the blender motor is still running, until the garlic sauce has thickened.

4. To assemble your shawarma sandwiches, spread warm bread with garlic sauce then arrange lettuce, tomato, chickpeas, onions, coriander. Top with chicken. Roll up, cut in half to serve.

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Ingredients:

Shawarma
- 2 lbs. / 1 kilo boneless skinless chicken thighs (don't discard fatty parts)
- ¾ teaspoon cardamom
- ¼ teaspoon cumin
- ¼ teaspoon turmeric
- ¼ teaspoon paprika
- 1 Tablespoon oil
- salt and ground pepper
- 6 pita breads
- shredded lettuce
- 1 sliced tomato
- 1 red onion
- few handfuls of chickpeas
- coriander sprigs

Garlic Sauce
- 8 cloves garlic
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 1/4 cup lemon juice
- 1/2 cup sunflower oil
- 3/4 cup olive oil

Drink of the week

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- 500 ml (2 cups) chocolate milk
- 375 ml (1 1/2 cups) ice
- 15 ml (1 tbsp) instant coffee
- 15 ml (1 tbsp) chocolate syrup
- 250 ml (1 cup) vanilla yogurt

In blender, combine chocolate milk, ice cubes, coffee, chocolate syrup; puree until smooth. Add yogurt and blend.

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Hummus is a great alternative to traditional dips
The creamy paste's base is made from chickpeas

As an appetizer and dip, hummus is scooped with flatbread (such as pita).

It is also served as an accompaniment to falafel, grilled chicken, fish or eggplant.

Garnishes include chopped tomato, cucumber, cilantro, parsley, olives, hard boiled eggs pickles and more.

FLICKR: JEFF CUSHNER

▶ Hummus can even be served with tortilla chips.

Preparation:

1. Place the chick peas, tahini, garlic, salt, pepper and lemon juice into a food processor. Turn on the food processor and slowly add the olive oil.

2. Serve the hummus with cut up pita bread or any type of flat bread.

SUBMITTED BY SAMAYA CRAIG

Ingredients:
- 1 can of drained chickpeas
- 3 tbsp tahini
- 2 cloves of garlic
- 3/4 tsp salt
- 1/2 tsp pepper
- 4-5 tablespoons of lemon juice (about 2 lemon's worth)
- 2/3 cup olive oil
- Pita cut into small squares

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▶ Amanda Perkins

I attend the commerce program at Queen's University and just finished my second year.

I began my official job search in December. I searched online by going to the main job search engines or company websites that I thought I would enjoy working for and applied to any positions that interested me.

This was a long process as many of the jobs posted had long online applications that were tedious and time-consuming to fill out. Unfortunately, job after job, I was rejected. The rejections early on motivated me to keep on applying. By April, I was tired. I had applied to over 100 jobs, all in different fields and specialties, and was not accepted by a single one.

I came home during my exam break, and found a job at a local pub. I was excited to finally be hired after an exhausting job search!

In the first few weeks as I was being trained, I didn't receive many hours, so I looked for something else part-time. I found on Kijiji an unpaid social media internship for a fitness blog. I emailed the company right away and I received a response a few hours later. I then went to Toronto for an interview. It was an informal interview, where I had the opportunity to talk about my interests and strengths rather than answering formal questions. I left the interview feeling confident and, thankfully, was hired a few days later.

I have found a good balance between a fast-paced waitressing job that involves interacting with customers, and a second job where I can exercise my writing skills and knowledge of fitness and nutrition.

Thinking back on my job hunt experiences, I probably wouldn't have done anything differently. I believe being persistent will benefit students in the end.

Timing is also another factor to consider. It helps to apply to companies when they are looking for employees, instead of in a slow season when they will take your resumé and put it on file for later.

There are jobs out there, you just have to put in the effort to look for them.

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How to unplug the professional you

Leaving those workaholic ways at the doorstep

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▶ If connecting with clients comes before hugging your hubby at home, you may want to re-evaluate your workload.

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When you're hooked on workahol, living through the smartphone decade doesn't help.

Reachable everywhere, at all hours of the day, today's workforce can be forgiven for feeling like a servant class to BlackBerry overloads, buzzing with new commands. If you don't take a step back to draw boundaries between the conference room and the living room, work life coach Sue Thompson says, you could sacrifice your free will to a phone.

"We no longer have a work life and a home life," she says. "We have a life and we really need to decide how we want to live that life."

Chances are you haven't had time to ask yourself that existential question, says Shirin Khamisa, founder of Careers By Design.

"Look at your habits, get a reality check," she says. "Is the way you're functioning really serving you? If you're texting at the dinner table, how is that affecting your interaction with your family? If you're a young, single person, how does always being connected affect your personal life?"

Keeping your thumbs surgically attached to the phone could hurt more than your dating career, she notes. It could destroy your actual career.

"Often times working less makes you more productive," she explains.

She encourages you to ask yourself: Is it truly worth hammering away into the deep night, before slumping to work the next morning, tired, hollow, and ineffective?

"Start thinking in terms of results," she urges.

Create a Switch

Trouble disconnecting? Create what career counsellor Courtney Anderson calls "a mental switch."

"Take that switch and say 'I'm off, I'm logging off,'" she recommends. "Take personal time. Otherwise, with technology, it's possible to be always working."

"You have to create a psychological barrier more than anything," agrees Thompson.

She suggests a change of clothes.

"Dress professionally for work," she offers. "That way, when you get home and you take off those clothes, that's your psychological barrier that shows you're at home."

If not you could lose perspective.

"If you don't make that serious effort, it's all going to blend in," she says. "I'm sure in five or 10 years, it's going to be even harder."

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Healthy Tiger back on course

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▶ Tiger Woods tees off at the fourth hole during practice yesterday at Firestone Country Club.

- 14-time major champion returns from injury to changed golf world
- 20 months since his last win

Tiger Woods was on the practice range just as the sun began to rise yesterday over Firestone, his first time on a PGA Tour golf course in nearly three months.

Even as the season heads toward a conclusion, Woods can't wait to get started.

Woods showed up at the Bridgestone Invitational at No. 28, his lowest world ranking since the start of his first full season on the PGA Tour. He has a new caddie — at least temporarily — in childhood friend Bryon Bell.

For Woods, however, the biggest change is how he feels about his health.

"The great thing is I don't feel a thing," Woods said. "It feels solid. It feels stable. No pain.

"It's been a very long time, and it feels good to go out there today ... go practise and feel nothing and walk around and pretty much do anything I want on the golf course."

Asked how long it has been since he felt so good physically, Woods replied, "Years."

It almost seems that long ago since he was last in action. Woods, who was No. 1 in the world a year ago, has not played since he walked off the course after nine holes May 12 at The Players Championship with recurring injuries to his left knee and Achilles tendon.

"I'm excited to compete, to play. And, hopefully, to win the tournament."
TIGER WOODS

Woods said he started hitting balls a couple of weeks ago and that he got the itch to start playing soon after.

In the three months since he was gone, Rory McIlroy shattered his U.S. Open scoring record to par, and good friend Darren Clarke finally won a major at the British Open at age 42. Steve Stricker has won twice to become the highest-ranked American.

Clarke is paired with Woods the first two rounds.

"Tiger has been the best player in the world for a very long time," Clarke said. "He has been the guy over my career that has set the benchmark for all the rest of us, and personally he's a good friend of mine."
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"Believe in yourself, which I've got no problem doing."
NEW YORK JETS COACH REX RYAN ON THE MEANING OF HIS NEW LEG TATTOO. THE TRIBAL-STYLE INK, WHICH RYAN GOT WHILE ON VACATION IN HAWAII LAST MONTH, CAUSED QUITE THE BUZZ MONDAY WHEN THE JETS REPORTED FOR TRAINING CAMP.

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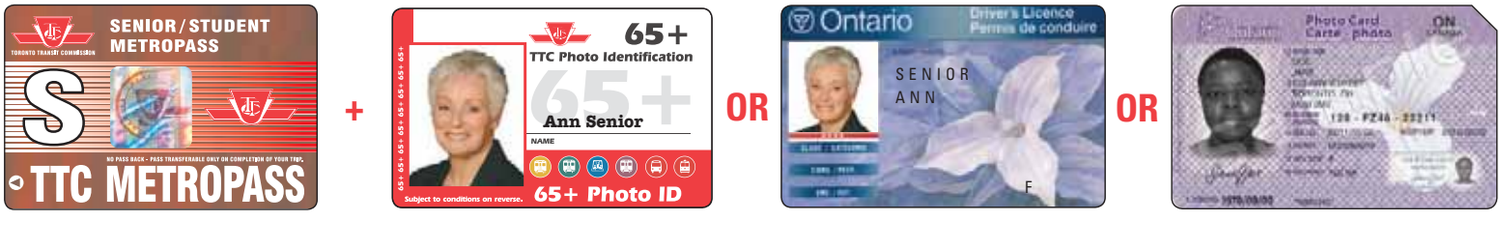

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Romero dominates Rays

Tampa Bay gets only one hit through eight innings • Bautista ends drought with homer

Ricky Romero tossed a one-hitter over eight innings and Jon Rauch survived a nervous ninth as the Toronto Blue Jays beat the Tampa Bay Rays 3-1 last night.

Jose Bautista hit his 32nd homer of the season for Toronto.

Romero (9-9), who didn't allow a hit until Desmond Jennings started the sixth with a homer, struck out seven and walked four over eight innings. Rauch allowed two-out singles in the ninth to Casey Kotchman and B.J. Upton before retiring Matt Joyce on a fly to left on a 3-0 pitch for his 10th save.

Toronto, which is three games over .500 (56-53) for the first time since April 8, also got a homer from Yunel Escobar.

Tampa Bay was one-hit by Seattle's Michael Pineda in a 3-2 loss to the Mariners last Saturday. The Rays have lost 11 of 17.

AL all-star David Price (9-10), who entered with eight wins and a no-decision in nine career starts against Toronto, gave up three runs and five hits in 6⅔ inning.

Bautista put the Blue Jays ahead 1-0 on his first homer in 15 games — snapping a drought of 46 at-bats without one — on a fourth-inning shot off Price. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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BLUE JAYS	RAYS

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▶ Tampa Bay second baseman Ben Zobrist is too late with the tag as Travis Snider safely steals second base last night.

TFC reaches group stage with victory

Ryan Johnson scored twice as Toronto FC defeated Real Esteli of Nicaragua 2-1 last night in CONCACAF Champions League preliminary-round play.

With the victory, Toronto advances to the group stage 4-2 on aggregate in the home-and-away series.

With humid temperatures reaching 28 C, players were forced to navigate an unruly pitch at the 4,800-seat Estadio Independencia, with long grass and bumps making the play unpredictable.

Johnson made it 2-1 early in the second half after an Esteli defensive gaffe. Goalkeeper Carlos Mendieta gave the ball away just outside the box to Johnson, who made no mistake as he slotted home in the 47th.

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EAST DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	66	41	.617	—
New York	65	42	.607	1
Tampa Bay	56	52	.519	10½
Toronto	56	53	.514	11
Baltimore	42	63	.400	23

CENTRAL DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
Detroit	57	51	.528	—
Cleveland	54	52	.509	2
Chicago	52	55	.486	4½
Minnesota	50	58	.463	7
Kansas City	46	62	.426	11

WEST DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
Texas	61	48	.560	—
Los Angeles	59	50	.541	2
Oakland	49	60	.450	12
Seattle	46	62	.426	14½

Yesterday's results
Toronto 3 Tampa Bay 1
Texas at Detroit
Cleveland at Boston
Baltimore at Kansas City
N.Y. Yankees at Chicago White Sox
Minnesota at L.A. Angels
Oakland at Seattle
Monday's results
Cleveland 9 Boston 6
N.Y. Yankees 3 Chicago White Sox 2
Seattle 8 Oakland 4
Today's games
Oakland (G.Gonzalez 9-8) at Seattle (Furbush 1-3), 3:40 p.m.
Texas (M.Harrison 9-7) at Detroit (Fister 3-12), 7:05 p.m.
Cleveland (C.Carrasco 8-9) at Boston (Wakefield 6-4), 7:10 p.m.
Toronto (C.Villanueva 6-2) at Tampa Bay (Shields 9-9), 7:10 p.m.
Baltimore (Guthrie 5-14) at Kansas City (Hochevar 7-8), 8:10 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees (A.J.Burnett 8-9) at Chicago White Sox (Floyd 9-9), 8:10 p.m.
Minnesota (S.Baker 8-6) at L.A. Angels (Pineiro 5-5), 10:05 p.m.
Tomorrow's games
Toronto at Tampa Bay, 12:10 p.m.
Texas at Detroit, 1:05 p.m.
Cleveland at Boston, 7:10 p.m.
Baltimore at Kansas City, 8:10 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees at Chicago White Sox, 8:10 p.m.
Minnesota at L.A. Angels, 10:05 p.m.

AL LEADERS

	G	AB	R	H	Avg.
AdGonzalez, Bos	105	433	76	154	.356
MiYoung, Tex	107	426	54	143	.336
Kotchman, TB	92	313	28	102	.326
Bautista, Tor	97	340	78	110	.324
Ellsbury, Bos	106	438	81	140	.320
VMartinez, Det	93	344	47	109	.317
JhPeralta, Det	97	348	46	110	.316
MiCabrera, Det	108	376	73	117	.311
Pedroia, Bos	104	419	73	130	.310
YEscobar, Tor	98	377	58	115	.305

HOME RUNS — Bautista, Toronto, 31; Teixeira, New York, 29; Granderson, New York, 28; Konerko, Chicago, 25; NCruz, Texas, 23; MarReynolds, Baltimore, 23; MiCabrera, Detroit, 22.
PITCHING — Sabathia, New York, 16-5; Verlander, Detroit, 15-5; Weaver, Los Angeles, 14-5; Lester, Boston, 11-4; Tomlin, Cleveland, 11-5; Haren, Los Angeles, 11-6; Porcello, Detroit, 11-6; Scherzer, Detroit, 11-6.
Not including last night's games

NATIONAL LEAGUE

EAST DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
Philadelphia	69	39	.639	—
Atlanta	63	48	.568	7½
Florida	55	55	.500	15
New York	55	55	.500	15
Washington	53	56	.486	16½

CENTRAL DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
Milwaukee	61	49	.555	—
St. Louis	57	52	.523	3½
Pittsburgh	54	54	.500	6
Cincinnati	53	56	.486	7½
Chicago	45	65	.409	16
Houston	36	73	.330	24½

WEST DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
San Francisco	61	48	.560	—
Arizona	60	49	.550	1
Colorado	51	58	.468	10
Los Angeles	49	59	.454	11½
San Diego	47	63	.427	14½

Last night's results
Washington 9 Atlanta 3
Chicago Cubs 11 Pittsburgh 6
Florida 4 N.Y. Mets 3
Cincinnati at Houston
St. Louis at Milwaukee
Philadelphia at Colorado
L.A. Dodgers at San Diego
Arizona at San Francisco
Monday's results
Washington 5 Atlanta 3
Chicago Cubs 5 Pittsburgh 3
Florida 7 N.Y. Mets 3, 10 innings
Houston 4 Cincinnati 3, 10 innings
Milwaukee 6 St. Louis 2
Philadelphia 4 Colorado 3, 10 innings
L.A. Dodgers 6 San Diego 2
Arizona 5 San Francisco 2
Today's games
Atlanta (Beachy 4-2) at Washington (Wang 0-1), 1:05 p.m.
St. Louis (E.Jackson 1-0) at Milwaukee (Wolf 7-8), 2:10 p.m.
Philadelphia (Halladay 13-4) at Colorado (Hammel 6-10), 3:10 p.m.
Arizona (Marquis 8-5) at San Francisco (Vogelsong 8-1), 3:45 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (Garza 4-8) at Pittsburgh (Morton 8-6), 7:05 p.m.
Florida (Hensley 1-3) at N.Y. Mets (Gee 10-3), 7:10 p.m.
Cincinnati (Willis 0-1) at Houston (Lyles 0-6), 8:05 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers (Lilly 7-10) at San Diego (Stauffer 6-8), 10:05 p.m.
Tomorrow's games
Chicago Cubs at Pittsburgh, 7:05 p.m.
St. Louis at Florida, 7:10 p.m.
Washington at Colorado, 8:40 p.m.
Philadelphia at San Francisco, 10:15 p.m.

NL LEADERS

	G	AB	R	H	Avg.
JosReyes, NYM	94	415	78	141	.340
Braun, Mil	99	364	68	118	.324
Votto, Cin	108	402	69	129	.321
DanMurphy, NYM	105	381	47	122	.320
Kemp, LAD	108	392	66	125	.319
Morse, Wash	97	334	47	105	.314
Holliday, StL	83	293	56	92	.314
Helton, Col	96	322	45	100	.311
McCann, Atl	91	333	43	102	.306
Pence, Pha	103	413	52	126	.305

HOME RUNS — Berkman, St. Louis, 28; Kemp, Los Angeles, 26; Stanton, Florida, 25; Fielder, Milwaukee, 24; Pujols, St. Louis, 24; Uggla, Atlanta, 22; Braun, Milwaukee, 21; Bruce, Cincinnati, 21; Howard, Philadelphia, 21; JUpton, Arizona, 21.
PITCHING — IKennedy, Arizona, 13-3; Halladay, Philadelphia, 13-4; Kershaw, Los Angeles, 13-4; Jurrjens, Atlanta, 12-4; Hamels, Philadelphia, 12-6; Gallardo, Milwaukee, 12-7; Correia, Pittsburgh, 12-8.
Not including last night's games

BLUE JAYS 3, RAYS 1

Toronto	ab	r	h	bi	Tampa Bay	ab	r	h	bi
YEscor ss	3	1	1	1	Jnngs lf	4	1	1	1
Rasms cf	4	0	0	0	Damon dh	4	0	0	0
Bautist 3b	3	1	1	1	Longori 3b	4	0	0	0
Lind 1b	4	0	0	0	Zobrist 2b	2	0	0	0
Encrnc dh	2	0	1	0	Ktchm 1b	3	0	1	0
Snider lf	4	1	1	0	EJhnsn pr	0	0	0	0
A.Hill 2b	4	0	0	0	BUpton cf	3	0	1	0
RDavis rf	4	0	2	1	Joyce rf	3	0	0	0
Arencii c	4	0	0	0	Shppch c	3	0	0	0
SRdrgz ss	3	0	0	0					
Totals	**32**	**3**	**6**	**3**	**Totals**	**29**	**1**	**3**	**1**

Toronto	000	101	100 — 3
Tampa Bay	000	001	000 — 1

E—Bautista (5). DP—Toronto 1. LOB—Toronto 6, Tampa Bay 6. 2B—R.Davis (20). HR—Y.Escobar (10), Bautista (32), Jennings (2). SB—Snider (9), R.Davis 2 (33). CS—R.Davis (11), Joyce (1).

Toronto	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
R.Romero W,9-9	8	1	1	1	4	7
Rauch S,10-14	1	2	0	0	0	0
Tampa Bay						
Price L,9-10	6 2-3	5	3	3	2	6
J.Cruz	2-3	0	0	0	0	2
Howell	2-3	0	0	0	1	0
B.Gomes	1	1	0	0	1	1

T—2:42. A—13,333 (34,078) at St. Petersburg, Fla..

TENNIS

ATP LEGG MASON CLASSIC
At Washington
Singles — First Round
Ryan Harrison, U.S., def. Mischa Zverev, Germany, 6-4, 1-6, 6-1.
Ryan Sweeting, U.S., def. Alex Bogomolov, Jr., U.S., 6-2, 6-4.
Flavio Cipolla, Italy, def. Marsel Ilhan, Turkey, 7-5, 6-0.
Michael Berrer, Germany, def. Paolo Lorenzi, Italy, 7-5, 6-1.
Tommy Haas, Germany, def. Fernando Gonzalez, Chile, 6-2, 6-3.

ODLUM BROWN VANOPEN
At WEST VANCOUVER, B.C.
MEN
Singles
First Round
Bobby Reynolds (2), U.S., def. Benjamin Mitchell, Australia, 6-0, 6-1.
Erik Chvojka, Montreal, def. Pierre-Ludovic Duclos, Sainte-Foy, Que., 6-2, 2-6, 6-0.
Steve Johnson, U.S., def. Travis Rettenmaier, U.S., 7-6 (5), 6-4.
Clement Reix, France, def. Adam El Mihdawy, U.S., 6-7 (4), 6-3, 6-4.
WOMEN
Singles
Qualifying
Julia Glushko (3), Israel, def. Asia Muhammed, U.S., 6-4, 6-2.
Olivia Rogowska (5), Australia, def. Karolina Pliskova (2), Czech Republic, 7-6 (5), 6-1.
Casey Dellacqua, Australia def. Sacha Jones (6), New Zealand, 6-0, 6-4.
Madison Brengle (8), U.S., def. Nicole Gibbs, U.S., 6-1, 6-3.
First Round
Monica Niculescu (1), Romania, def. Sally Peers, Australia, 6-3, 6-2.
Eleni Daniilidou (4), Greece, def. Anne Kremer, Luxembourg, 6-3, 6-1.
Ajla Tomljanovic, Croatia def. Alison Riske (6), U.S., 4-6, 6-3, 7-5.
Gabriela Dabrowski, Ottawa, def. Monique Adamczak, Australia, 6-4, 6-1.

CFL

EAST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	T	PF	PA	Pt
Winnipeg	5	4	1	0	124	94	8
Montreal	5	3	2	0	159	129	6
Hamilton	5	3	2	0	132	112	6
Toronto	5	1	4	0	105	142	2

WEST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	T	PF	PA	Pt
Edmonton	5	5	0	0	153	99	10
Calgary	5	3	2	0	117	117	6
Saskatchewan	5	1	4	0	101	160	2
B.C.	5	0	5	0	126	161	0

WEEK SIX
Tomorrow's game
All times Eastern
Montreal at **Toronto,** 7:30 p.m.
Friday's games
Edmonton at Winnipeg, 7:30 p.m.
Saskatchewan at B.C., 10:30 p.m.
Saturday's game
Hamilton at Calgary, 9:30 p.m.

SCORING LEADERS

	TD	C	FG	S	Pts
Whyte, Mtl	0	17	13	1	57
Duval, Edm	0	16	11	8	57
Palardy, Wpg	0	9	15	2	56
Medlock, Ham	0	13	12	3	51
McCallum, BC	0	11	12	1	48
E.Johnson, Sask	0	10	9	4	41
Paredes, Cal	0	8	9	3	38
Prefontaine, Tor	0	8	8	0	32
Kackert, Tor	5	0	0	0	30
Stala, Ham	5	0	0	0	30
Stamps, Edm	5	0	0	0	30
Bratton, Mtl	4	0	0	0	24
Edwards, Wpg	4	0	0	0	24
Cates, Sask	3	0	0	0	18
Cornish, Cal	3	0	0	0	18
Foster, BC	3	0	0	0	18
Porter, Edm	3	0	0	0	18
Richardson, Mtl	3	0	0	0	18
Robertson, BC	3	0	0	0	18
C.Williams, Ham	3	0	0	0	18
Barnes, Edm	2	0	0	0	12
Brown, BC	2	0	0	0	12
Cobourne, Ham	2	0	0	0	12
Dressler, Sask	2	0	0	0	12
Durant, Sask	2	0	0	0	12
Green, Mtl	2	0	0	0	12
Jeffers-Harris, Wpg	2	0	0	0	12
Joseph, Edm	2	0	0	0	12
Lemon, Tor	2	0	0	0	12
McPherson, Mtl	2	0	0	0	12
Messam, Edm	2	0	0	0	12
Whitaker, Mtl	2	0	0	0	12
Shaw, Tor	0	3	1	1	7
Banks, BC	1	0	0	0	6
Bishop, Cal	1	0	0	0	6
Black, Tor	1	0	0	0	6
Bowman, Edm	1	0	0	0	6
Boyd, Tor	1	0	0	0	6
Brink, Wpg	1	0	0	0	6
Bryant, Cal	1	0	0	0	6
Burris, Cal	1	0	0	0	6
Clermont, Sask	1	0	0	0	6
Cox, Mtl	1	0	0	0	6
Denmark, Wpg	1	0	0	0	6
Deslauriers, Mtl	1	0	0	0	6
Diedrick, Mtl	1	0	0	0	6
Getzlaf, Sask	1	0	0	0	6
A.Harris, BC	1	0	0	0	6
Henry, Edm	1	0	0	0	6
E.Hill, Sask	1	0	0	0	6
Hughes, Sask	1	0	0	0	6
Lewis, Cal	1	0	0	0	6
Lulay, BC	1	0	0	0	6
Mann, Ham	1	0	0	0	6
Maypray, Mtl	1	0	0	0	6
Peterson, BC	1	0	0	0	6
Porter, Ham	1	0	0	0	6
Rambo, Cal	1	0	0	0	6
Raymond, Cal	1	0	0	0	6

ACTIVITY

BASEBALL

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL — Suspended L.A. Angels RHP Jered Weaver six games and fined him an undisclosed amount for throwing a pitch near the head of Detroit's Alex Avila on Sunday and suspended L.A. Angels manager Mike Scioscia one game for the same incident.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
BALTIMORE ORIOLES — Activated RHP Brad Bergesen from the paternity leave list. Transferred OF Luke Scott to the 60-day DL. Claimed LHP Jo Jo Reyes off waivers from Toronto.
BOSTON RED SOX — Added LHP Erik Bedard to the active roster. Optioned INF Drew Sutton to Pawtucket (IL)
KANSAS CITY ROYALS — Recalled LHP Everett Teaford from Omaha (PCL).
LOS ANGELES ANGELS — Recalled INF Andrew Romine from Salt Lake (PCL).
MINNESOTA TWINS—Activated OF Denard Span from the 15-day DL.
TAMPA BAY RAYS — Activated RHP Juan Cruz from the 15-day DL. Optioned RHP Mike Ekstrom to Durham (IL).
TEXAS RANGERS — Designated LHP Arthur Rhodes for assignment.
TORONTO BLUE JAYS — Assigned SS Andrew Burns to the GCL Blue Jays.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
ATLANTA BRAVES — Assigned LHP Chris Cody to Mississippi (SL).
PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES — Promoted INF Freddy Galvis and INF Carlos Rivero from Reading (EL) to Lehigh Valley (IL). Assigned INF Ozzie Chavez to Reading and OF Cyle Hankerd to Clearwater (FSL).
SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS — Agreed to terms with RHP Keith Bilodeau and assigned him to the Arizona League Giants.
WASHINGTON NATIONALS — Assigned RHP Christian Garcia to Auburn (NYP). Recalled RHP Collin Balester from Syracuse (IL).

BASKETBALL

NBA
NEW ORLEANS HORNETS — Named Dave Hanners assistant coach.

FOOTBALL

NFL
ATLANTA FALCONS — Waived-injured TE Robbie Agnone.
BALTIMORE RAVENS — Agreed to terms with C Casey Rabach on a two-year contract.
CAROLINA PANTHERS — Signed QB Derek Anderson.
CHICAGO BEARS — Agreed to terms with TE Desmond Clark. Signed TE Matt Spaeth. Waived S K.J. Gerard.
DALLAS COWBOYS — Signed DT Jimmy Saddler-McQueen. Waived WR Jeff Moturi and DT Lawon Scott.
GREEN BAY PACKERS — Re-signed WR James Jones.
INDIANAPOLIS COLTS — Signed OT Anthony Castonzo and LB Ernie Sims.
KANSAS CITY CHIEFS — Signed WR Chris Manno.
MIAMI DOLPHINS — Terminated the contract of LB Tim Dobbins.
MINNESOTA VIKINGS — Released OT Bryant McKinnie.
NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS — Signed CB Ras-I Dowling, RB Shane Vereen and DE Christian Cox. Released QB Jonathan Crompton.
NEW ORLEANS SAINTS — Agreed to terms with DE Cameron Jordan, TE Tory Humphrey and CB Terrraill Lambert. Waived-failed physical G Carl Johnson. Waived-injured CB Josh Gatlin.
NEW YORK GIANTS — Signed DT Gabe Watson.
NEW YORK JETS — Signed LB David Harris to a contract extension.
PHILADELPHIA EAGLES — Agreed to terms with RB Ronnie Brown.
ST. LOUIS RAMS — Agreed to terms with RB Jerious Norwood on a one-year contract.
SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS — Signed CB Phillip Davis to a three-year contract.
SEATTLE SEAHAWKS — Agreed to terms with DE Jimmy Wilkerson and TE Zach Miller.
WASHINGTON REDSKINS — Re-signed QB Rex Grossman.

CFL
WINNIPEG BLUE BOMBERS — Signed WR Damian Sherman to the practice roster.

LACROSSE

NLL
WASHINGTON STEALTH — Signed T Nenad Gajic, F Martin Cummings, G Chris Seidel, G Zack Boychuk, D Mike McNamara and D John Rae.

SOCCER

MLS
TORONTO FC — Traded F Micon Santos to Dallas for M Eric Avila.

SOCCER

MLS
Tonight's games
All times Eastern
Real Salt Lake at Kansas City, 8:30 p.m.
Philadelphia at Chicago, 9 p.m.
Los Angeles at Portland, 10:30 p.m.
Friday's game
Columbus at Colorado, 9:30 p.m.
Saturday's games
Houston at Philadelphia, 7 p.m.
Toronto at D.C. United, 7:30 p.m.
Chivas USA at New England, 7:30 p.m.
Seattle at Kansas City, 8:30 p.m.
New York at Real Salt Lake, 9 p.m.
Portland at San Jose, 10:30 p.m.
Dallas at Los Angeles, 10:30 p.m.
Sunday, Aug. 7
Chicago at Vancouver, 7 p.m.

UEFA

CHAMPIONS LEAGUE
Yesterday's results
Panathinaikos (Greece) 3 Odense (Denmark) 4
(Odense advances on 5-4 aggregate)
Champions Route
BATE Borisov (Belarus) 3 Ekranas (Lithuania) 1
(Borisov advances on 3-1 aggregate)
Shamrock Rovers (Ireland) 0 Copenhagen (Denmark) 2
(Copenhagen advances on 3-0 aggregate)

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9.0L/100km **31MPG** CITY**

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Mustang-based engine

What truly differentiates the Sport from the other Edge models (SE, SEL and Limited) is the 3.7-litre V6 that generates 305 horsepower and 280 pound-feet of torque.

This new powerplant, which is also found on the 2011 Ford Mustang, provides impressive thrust along with equally impressive fuel economy.

Luxury amenities

Complementing the Sport's performance and exterior appearance are its many and varied luxury amenities, many of them technical in nature.

Along with all-wheel-drive, they include Ford's MyFord Touch voice-command technology that replaces traditional vehicle buttons, knobs and gauges with LCD screens and five-way controls like those found on cell phones and MP3 music players.

Chrome exhausts

Unique smoked headlight and taillamp designs, oval chrome exhaust tips and body-coloured lower front and side trim are all part of the Sport package.

As well, it's important to note that a specially tuned suspension has been dialed in and contributes to the Sport's hunkered-down stance and sharpened reflexes.

▶ The five-passenger Edge, as a whole, is a tight, flab-free package. The investment level — a couple of new engines, new models, and more technology poured into the dashboard — shows just how much Ford depends on this classy act. It's right on the money.

Live on the Edge with this spicy sport ute

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Most sport utility vehicles or wagon derivatives of passenger cars come across as being more utilitarian than sporty. Even a bit boring.

However, the Sport edition of the Ford Edge definitely runs counter to this axiom, both in terms of style and performance.

The Edge has been around since the 2007 model year and was given an interior and exterior makeover for 2011. In addition, its 3.5-litre V6 was treated to a 20-horsepower surge (to 285 from 265).

The Edge Sport is different enough from the regular Edge to be considered a whole other vehicle. As the name implies, this is one five-passenger wagon that has been built to please buyers looking to spice up their rides, but still need a multi-purpose machine capable of carrying a wide variety of gear.

Visually, the Sport differs from the rank-and-file Edge in several ways. The blacked-out grille is certainly one telltale sign and the massive 22-inch forged aluminum wheels are another.

Sport clearly pushes the Edge's envelope in terms of power and content. But it's not about just adding more.

It's about putting together the right combination of parts and pieces to create an effective image. And this Edge does exactly that ... brilliantly.

5 drive

By comparison

BMW X3 xDrive28i
Base price: $43,200
Improved 2011 model now roomier and has improved ride and handling.

Audi Q5 3.2
Base price: $50,000
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The parking lot was empty with the exception of a 12,000-horsepower Chevy "Bowtie". The massive expanse of tarmac was usually filled with cars and trucks belonging to the workers that assemble Chevrolet's iconic Camaro hot rod at the state-of-the-art assembly plant in Oshawa, Ont.

Not the morning of June 10, 2011, though.

Preparations for clearing the lot had begun a month earlier with announcements to plant workers that half of their massive parking lot would be closed for a few days.

So, the day before — June 9 — we fenced off most of the points of entry, coned off the rest and spent a couple of hours building the yellow outlined Chevrolet logo with 30 brand-spanking new Camaros.

With the sun about to rise, a dozen traffic cones were strategically positioned in an effort to visualize what to do when 700 more Camaros arrived at the parking lot. The first ones began to trickle in at 7 a.m. By 11 a.m., Camaro owners from Texas to Nova Scotia needed to jockey their cars into position for an aerial photograph of our staging masterpiece.

The goal of the effort, part of the 23rd annual Camaro Nationals hosted by the Ontario Camaro Club, was to establish a new Guinness World Record for the largest car mosaic.

I've set four Guinness records over the years for long-distance driving and although my involvement with this record attempt was limited to being the staging marshal, it felt good to be part of the plan.

18 The centrepiece of the mosaic required 18 yellow cars and a variety of others. It took two hours of meticulous work to make sure each of those cars were properly spaced.

The strategy was to build a frame of new Camaros in the shape of the Chevrolet "Bowtie" logo. They had to be spaced and carefully lined up with exit options for each car. No trial runs, the first attempt was the call for action.

Now, anyone who knows how to drive should have a decent idea how to park a car. Drive into a driveway, back into a spot at the supermarket or parallel park in front of a coffee shop. No sweat. But there's a significant difference between "parking" a car and "staging" several hundred cars.

After 30 years in the business of designing and producing media and promotional events, I've been around the track with vehicle staging. But 700 of them? In four hours? With 700 different drivers? Without any practice?

The first few Camaros trickled in, beautiful first-generation models with tight-sounding V8 engines. I began a line four paces from the north side of the Chevy logo. Soon, two-way radios were crackling about the dozens of Camaros lining up at the south entrance to the parking lot. The staging race was on.

By 10:40 a.m., nearly 700 Camaros of all years had been staged. A few minutes later a small plane was overhead. I knew there was a photographer on board taking pictures to send to Guinness Superlatives.

At day's end, thousands of Camaro owners and fans had toured Oshawa's Camaro assembly plant. Outside they drooled over the cars and shopped in the vendor market before the staging masterpiece evaporated as hundreds of Camaros were driven to homes and area hotels. And the next two mornings my humble crew and I were back at the empty lot at sunrise, waiting to do it over again.

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HANDOUT

▶ If you're going to go into the record books, the photo might as well be in the shape of a logo.

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▶ Move the car over a foot, back a foot and to the left half an inch ... then repeat 700 times.

Top Gear

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1 Anyone towing a trailer will appreciate a set of temporary mount mirrors that are essential for extending your field of vision when passing, checking approaching traffic or when backing up. A pair supplied by the JC Whitney catalogue company will certainly help in this regard. They slip over your existing outside mirror frames without creating an obstruction or causing wind noise and can be easily removed when not needed. jcwhitney.com

2 Cameras are always handy, but how many of us actually carry one around, especially when we're out on the road? Yes, there's the camera (hidden somewhere within the buttons) of your cell phone that seems to take all kinds of blurry, shaky pictures. Then there's the Pro Series Mini Cam keychain digital camera that you can use for either pleasure or for evidence-gathering purposes if you're involved in a collision or other emergency situations. tbotech.com/keychain-digital-camera.htm

3 Given all the various nooks and crannies for storing stuff inside your car, it's amazing how cell phones, coins, sunglasses, portable audio devices and other assorted gear will often wind up on the floor or lost between or beneath the front seats. Take corrective action by purchasing a CommuteMate CellCup. This handy organizer fits inside one of your vehicle's standard-sized cupholders so its contents are always within easy reach. amazon.com.

4 A dirty or discoloured top can really junk things up and tarnish the cool factor of a convertible car. Keep your lid clean with RaggTop convertible top cleaner and vinyl top protector from Wolfsteins Pro Series products. The company's Fabric Convertible Care Kit includes a cleaner and a protectant that can be used on vinyl as well as fabric tops. wolfsteins.com. **WHEELBASE**

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▶ Only police forces will get to purchase this speed demon, known as the Chevrolet Caprice Police Patrol Vehicle.

The next best thing, I guess, would be piloting a police car engaged in the pursuit of a runaway stolen car.

But that won't happen either, because I'm not a police officer now, and will never be one in the future. (Can't do "blue." Not one of my colours.)

But recently I did get to drive a police car and now I want one badly, even if it's just for civilian-type activities, like going for coffee and donuts. Wait a minute — that might be police work too ... Well, you know what I mean.

The vehicle in question is the brand new Chevrolet Caprice Police Patrol Vehicle (PPV).

Police forces prefer full-size, rear-drive sedans, with V8 engines. Chevrolet hasn't had one of those in its lineup since 1996, which allowed Ford Crown Victoria to dominate the police market.

But now the Ford Crown Victoria is done too. Ford's new police vehicle, the Interceptor, is based on the front-drive Taurus. GM continues to offer its front-drive Impala PPV.

But as all other front-drive police units before and since, it has never been the recipient of full blown police love.

Ford is hoping to have more front-drive police luck with its Interceptor, but I'm not so sure. And I think GM is of that mind too, and has finally understood how profoundly police forces are attached to their rear-drive cruisers.

GM developed this Caprice specifically for police work, and will only sell the Caprice to police forces. It is based on a rear-drive platform developed and built by Holden, GM's subsidiary in Australia. Holden also used this platform to build the now-defunct Pontiac G8.

My fling with Caprice PPV was with a "detective" version, meaning no lights, or back seat partition, or police signage.

But its understated looks — pavement grey on the outside, no-nonsense black on the inside — contributed to its "sleeper" vibe, which I so love.

It comes with heavy-duty everything, and a 6.0-litre V8 that makes 355 horsepower, and it accelerates to 60 m.p.h. (96 km/h) in under six seconds.

So GM has inadvertently created a super-cool ride, and part of its coolness comes from the fact that you can't buy one.

You can buy a Ferrari 458 Italia, but not a Caprice PPV.

Maybe we'll see a special "civilian" version at some point. Please do that ... Go ahead, make my day.

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The motto "you get what you pay for" used to be true of most things, but the times, they are changin', and this is no longer true for many things, most notably car insurance. In fact, you could be paying hundreds, or even thousands of dollars more than you should for your coverage.

How is this possible? It is somewhat complicated to explain, but, to sum it up: Insurance companies base their rates on their experience with similar driver profiles and cars. Since no two companies' experiences are exactly the same, it is rare that different companies will give you the same potential insurance premium for your profile and car.

Experience Counts

It has been statistically proven that drivers over 50 years of age have fewer accidents and tickets than the average, and this means that there are more potential savings to be found for more experienced drivers. In fact, some companies actually specialize in serving the mature market, so it's definitely worth comparing rates.

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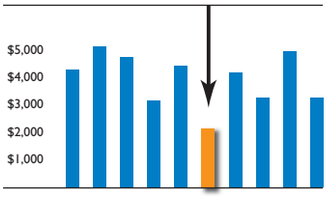

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▶ Don't get it twisted. This is a canola field, which is used to produce biodiesel. It is different than corn, which is used to produce ethanol.

Canada's farmers are now growing diesel

Steps have been made to protect, build biofuel industry

DRIVING FORCE

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On July 1, 2011, a new federal mandate came into effect: on average, two per cent of all diesel fuel sold in Canada must be biodiesel, a fuel made from renewable resources.

That's generally used restaurant grease, rendered animal fat, or soybean or canola oil, according to Gordon Quaiattini, past-president of the Canadian Renewable Fuels Association.

"In all of the off- and on-road demonstrations since 2008, biodiesel has been overwhelmingly successful in all kinds of the wonderful Canadian climate that we can be subjected to," he says.

Depending on what "feedstock" (organic material) is used to make it, the overall greenhouse gas emissions are 85 to 99 per cent lower than petroleum-based diesel, Quaiattini says, when calculated from the initial feedstock production to what comes out the tailpipe.

Growing crops to produce biodiesel doesn't interfere with food sources and will be beneficial to farmers, Quaiattini says.

"Eighty per cent of all canola that we grow is exported. That's great for canola farmers, but at times they have been open to the (vagueness) of trade policies. We do almost no value-added processing in Canada.

"We have 5 to 7 million acres of cropland that sits fallow every year and have had some serious challenges, especially in the grain factor, where farmers were selling it below the cost of production. We have more than enough agricultural land for food and fuel."

Biodiesel differs from ethanol, a gasoline substitute made primarily from corn in Canada, in several respects.

Biodiesel is made from fat or vegetable oil, while ethanol is derived from the sugar in plants. Biodiesel has the same energy density as diesel, while ethanol has only one-third the energy of gasoline.

Because of this, and ethanol's corrosive properties, high-ethanol blends can only be used in special "flexible-fuel" engines, while most diesel engines can burn higher biofuel blends.

The low initial two per cent mandate is primarily to protect and build Canada's biofuel industry, which is still in its infancy: a higher blend requirement could have forced oil companies to source their biodiesel from the U.S.

Fuel facts

- Biofuel blends are named for the percentage of each fuel in them. B20 is 20 per cent biodiesel and 80 per cent petroleum diesel, while E85 is 85 per cent ethanol and 15 per cent gasoline.
- Biodiesel can be made from several oilseeds, including soybean and canola, but corn is more likely to be made into ethanol.
- Ethanol attracts water, which causes problems if it's shipped in pipelines; biodiesel doesn't and can be piped like oil.

Want to recharge? Hit the brakes

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Test Drive. Lexus CT200h

The Japanese answer to BMW or Audi, Lexus has trumped its rivals by being the first to launch a hybrid premium compact.

The CT200h is the smallest car Lexus has made and it uses the same technology that's in the Toyota Prius.

It can be driven in all-electric EV mode so the car pulls away and travels in near silence for up to three kilometres before the engine kicks in.

Thanks to clever technology, the battery that supports the engine is recharged by braking.

By the numbers

- **Base price:** $30,950
- **Fuel consumption:** 4.1 l/100km.
- **Power:** 134 horsepower

Best thing
Shifting gears using the floating chrome-handled gear selector is easy and feels very classy.

Worst thing
With a 0-62 m.p.h. time of 10.3 seconds the CT200h is not as sporty as it could be. Get your kicks elsewhere by counting the fuel you're saving.

Interior

The interior is a nice place to sit thanks to a soft, leather steering wheel and an efficient and gentle AC. The information system is operated by a mouse and the audio is excellent. It's tasteful, comfortable and luxurious.

Exterior

With a tubby backend (good for storage but not the most appealing), the CT200h is a little funny-looking and its design doesn't reflect its ground-breaking technology.

Performance

Capable of 4.1 l/100km (on an urban and a combined cycle) the CT200h emits very little carbon dioxide. It's greener and more economical than many of its rivals.

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In Japan you don't drive, cars drive you

Toyota shows pre-collision safety system that takes command of steering as well as brakes

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▶ Toyota cars crash during a collision test last month in a demonstration of its safety technology at its facility in Susono, near Mount Fuji.

Toyota is developing a safety technology that takes control of the steering so the vehicle can veer away when it isn't able to stop before impact.

Toyota Motor Corp. showed some of its up and coming safety innovations in a demonstration to reporters recently at its facility in Susono, west of Tokyo, near Mount Fuji.

All the world's automakers are working on special safety technology in an effort to woo customers, as competition intensifies among manufacturers already neck-and-neck in delivering the regular features for their products.

Cars that stop or slow down automatically before an object or person in anticipation of a possible crash are not new.

But Toyota's latest pre-collision system adds a steering-control feature.

In the new system, Toyota uses cameras and a super sensitive radar called "millimeter-wave," both installed in the front of the vehicle, to detect possible crashes such as a pedestrian crossing the road.

The vehicle calculates how braking and steering must be applied to avoid a crash, said chief safety technology officer Morita-ka Yoshida.

"We must learn from accidents and keep making improvements in safety features," he said.

The Japanese automaker declined to say when the feature may be offered on a commercial model, or in which markets, but officials hinted it was ready to be offered soon.

Toyota said it was aiming for zero fatalities and injuries, although it did not say when that goal would be achieved.

Fatalities have been declining in auto accidents, because of better safety features, but deaths among pedestrians in traffic accidents have not gone down in Japan.

Protecting pedestrians is increasingly key, according to Toyota, which makes the Prius hybrid and Lexus luxury models.

Toyota showed what is called a pop-up hood, which rises slightly in a crash, to mitigate the impact of a pedestrian getting hit by a car, similar to features offered by European makers.

It also showed how parts of the rays from high-beam headlights could be blocked so that drivers could still see clearly what was ahead while headlights would appear to be on low beam to the driver in a car coming from the other direction.

Toyota also showed a steering wheel in development that measures the heartbeat of the driver to prevent crashes that can happen when drivers suffer heart attacks.

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Tune-ups just aren't what they used to be

Concerned about fuel-efficiency? Then pay attention to your spark plug

With the widespread use of computerized engine controls, the regular "tune-up" is now a thing of the past.

Modern vehicles don't have ignition points and there are no carburetors to adjust. But there is still an important wear item that needs to be replaced periodically — the spark plug.

Replacing worn or fouled spark plugs can improve engine starts, lower emissions, and even boost acceleration. What's more, according to the National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence, a misfiring spark plug can reduce fuel efficiency by as much as 30 per cent.

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▶ Spark plugs are not expensive, but they can go a long way towards maintaining your car.

Spark plugs take the electrical current from the ignition coil and send it across a gap between the plug's electrodes. That spark ignites the air/fuel mixture, which powers the engine. Keep in mind that all this happens in a very harsh environment. Up to 40,000 volts cross this gap, and combustion temperatures can reach 3,000 C.

Even with the greater durability of platinum- or iridium-tipped electrodes, as used by some spark plugs, these components eventually wear out. They also can become fouled due to poor gasoline quality, or excessive oil entering the combustion chamber from worn engine parts.

Fouling can even be caused by prolonged engine idling that prevents the spark plugs from reaching their proper operating temperatures.

Be sure to replace your vehicle's spark plugs on a regular basis. It's one of the most economical ways to maintain an efficient engine and avoid wasting fuel. **NEWS CANADA**

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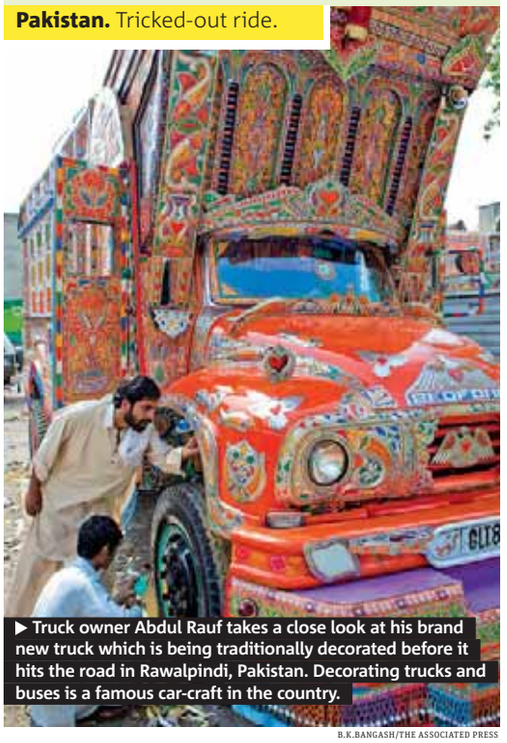

▶ Truck owner Abdul Rauf takes a close look at his brand new truck which is being traditionally decorated before it hits the road in Rawalpindi, Pakistan. Decorating trucks and buses is a famous car-craft in the country.

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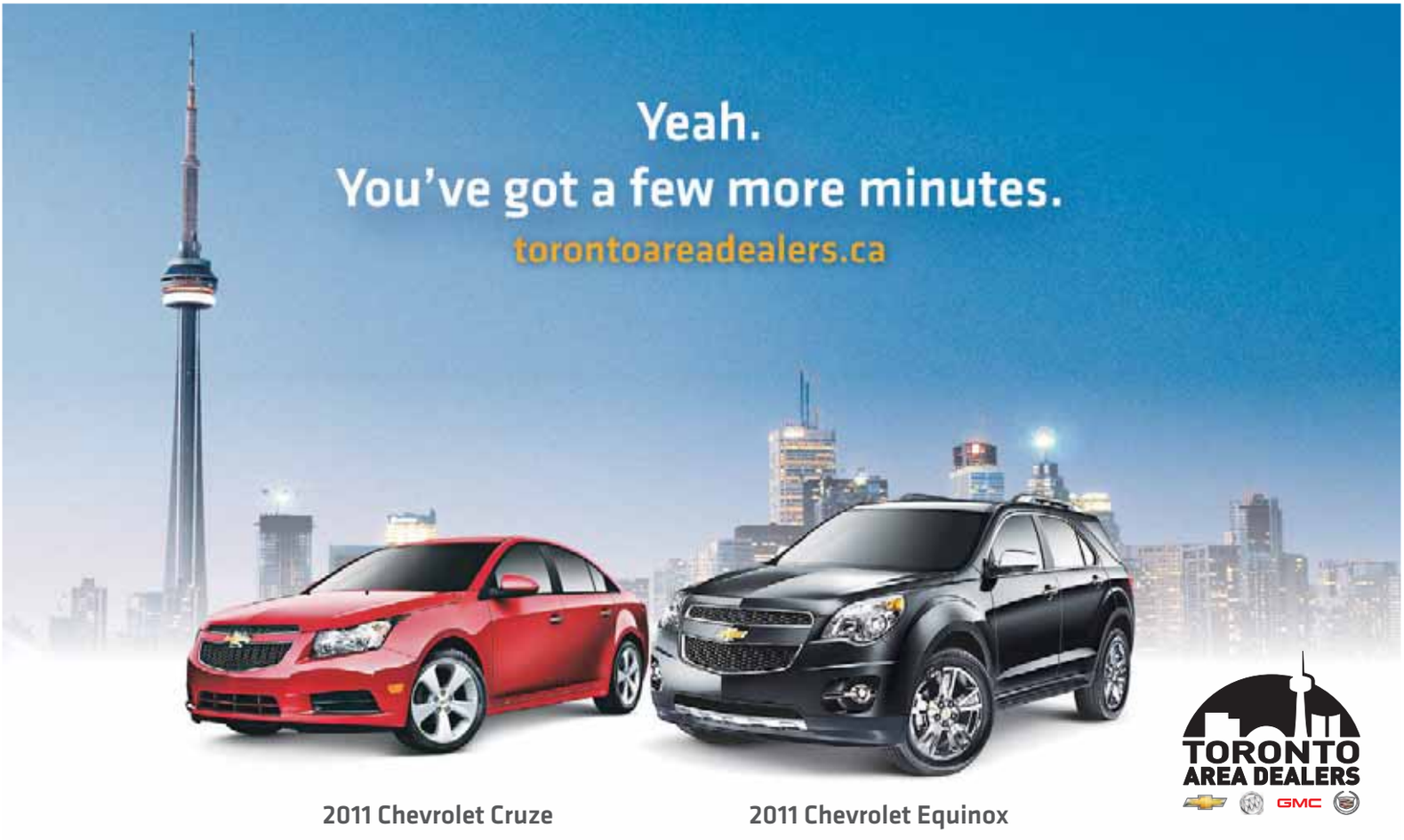

Focus known for fun-to-drive dynamics

Model: 2008 to 2011 Ford Focus Vehicle Type: Compact Car

SECOND GEAR

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Available from 2008 to 2011, the last-generation Ford Focus was available exclusively in coupe and sedan body styles.

All models got a two-litre, 140-horsepower four-cylinder engine with a five-speed stick as standard, and a four-speed automatic as an option.

Trim levels included S, SE, SEL and SES from econo-box to loaded, and feature content included heated seating, Ford Sync, alloy wheels, mood lighting, cruise control, Bluetooth, power accessories, remote access and a self-dimming rearview mirror.

What Owners Like

- It seems Ford nailed this generation of Focus where interior dimensions, overall size, value for the money and exterior styling were concerned.
- Generous headroom, the Sync connectivity system, a fun-to-drive character and generous trunk space were often praised by owners.

What they dislike

- Many owners wish for more pizzazz in the Focus's rear styling, as well as some extra power for passing and merging.
- Other Focus drivers wish for a higher-quality interior feel, and complain of an abundance of 'filler' buttons that take the place of un-fitted options.
- A few reports of rougher-than-expected ride quality round out the list of owner-stated complaints.

2009 Ford Focus SES

Common issues

- Be sure to have any used Focus you're considering checked over for abnormal suspension and tire wear, noting that rattling, popping or clunking sounds from the front end could indicate a problem.
- Ensure the doors seal tightly and aren't in need of adjustment, and be sure the vehicle's wheel alignment is within spec, too. Unevenly-worn tires can be a warning sign of an alignment problem.
- On SYNC-equipped models, shoppers are advised to confirm functionality with their wireless device, as well as proper operation from the steering-wheel mounted SYNC controls.
- Some owners have reported problems with the automatic transmission, ranging from fluid leaks to hard shifting to in-warranty transmission replacement. This doesn't seem to be a widespread problem, but shift quality should be noted, and the unit should be checked by a Ford mechanic. Stick with the five-speed manual transmission where possible.

Verdict

A used Focus looks like a fairly reliable used-car buy, especially with the five-speed manual.

Shoppers after a good overall deal on a machine that's enjoyed for fun-to-drive dynamics and generous interior space should include it on their list of prospective test-drives.

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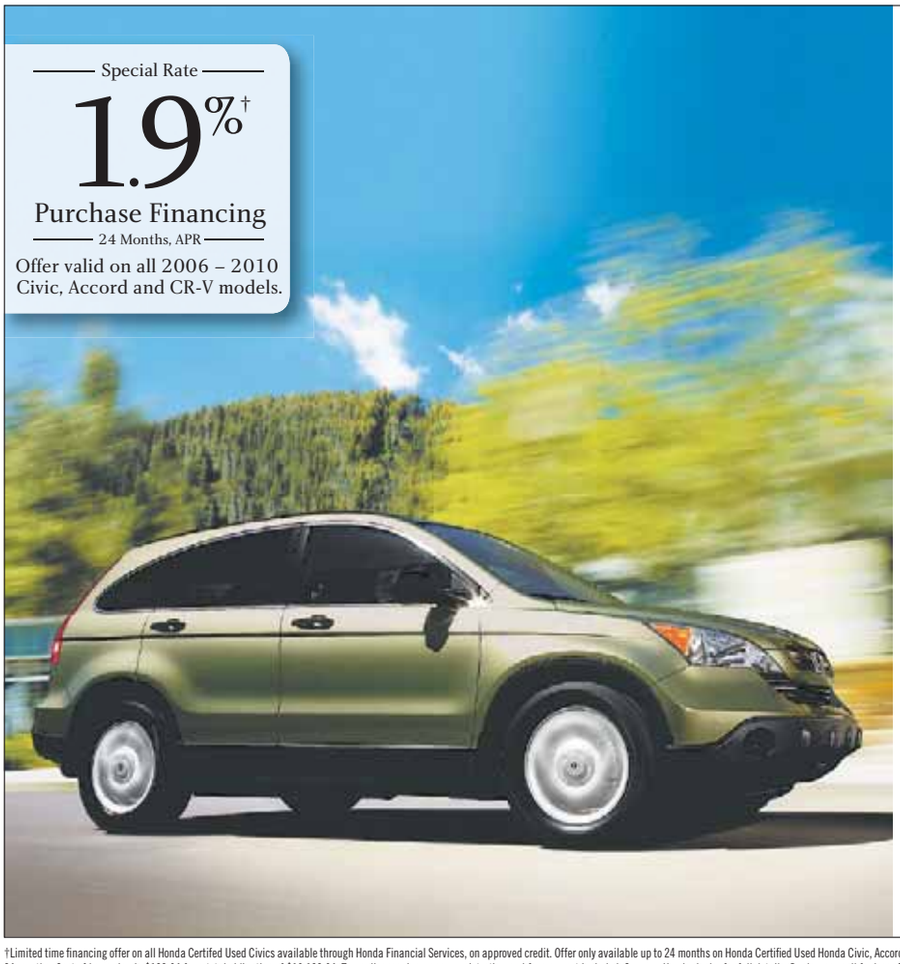

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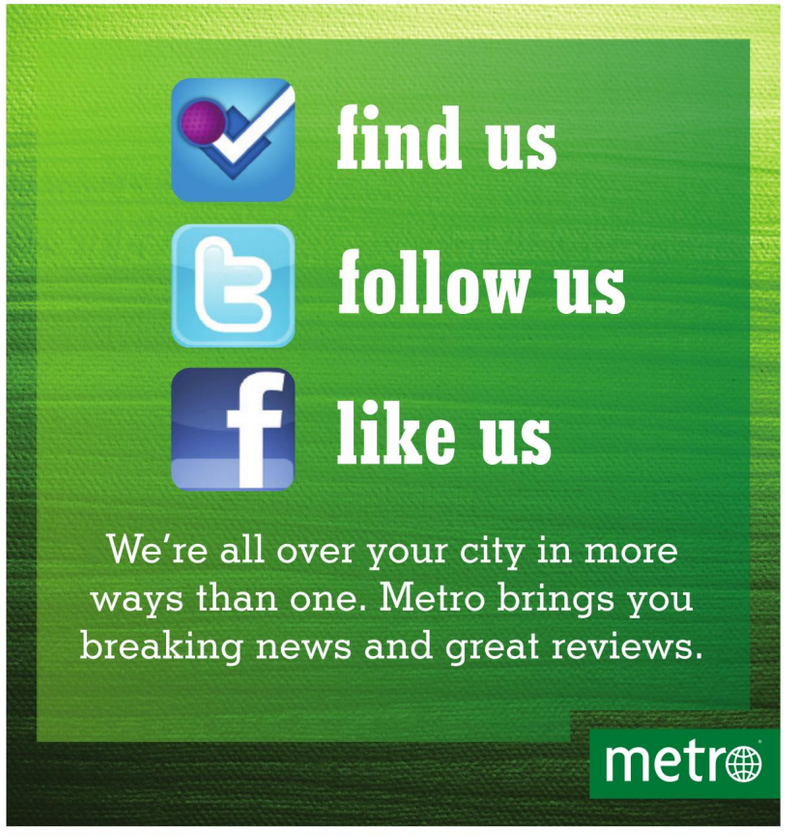
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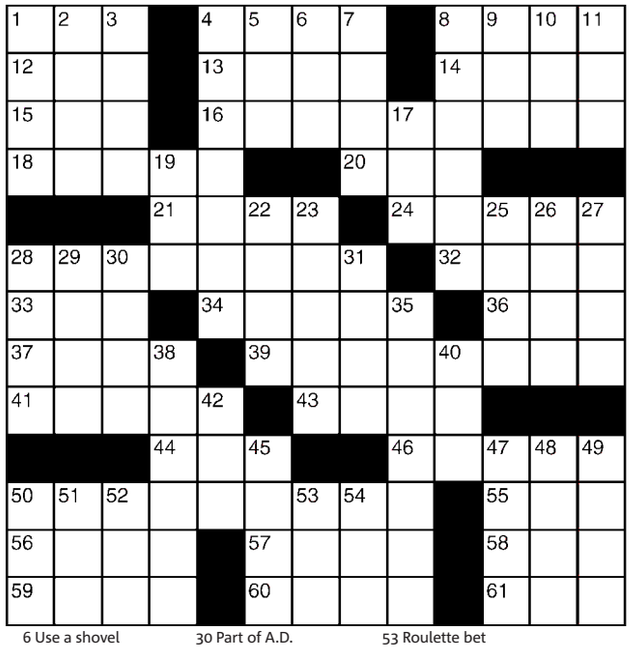

Across

1 "CSI" evidence
4 Arp's art style
8 Turkey stuffing herb
12 Charged particle
13 Idle or Clapton
14 Caspian feeder
15 Francisco preceder
16 Billiards variation
18 Winner
20 Still
21 ID at Barnes & Noble
24 Earlier-born
28 Government grant of a sort
32 Facility
33 Ornate vase
34 Starts the pot
36 Dundee denial
37 Thick-coated kin of the weasel
39 Razor-billed bird
41 Animal track
43 Normandy river
44 Ashen
46 Home in the woods
50 "Be patient"
55 First lady?
56 Roundish coif
57 Llamas' land
58 Levy
59 Mulligan —
60 Dutch cheese
61 Pismire

Down

1 Frisbee
2 Ark builder
3 Kournikova or Karenina
4 Quite far offshore
5 Onassis, familiarly
6 Use a shovel
7 In need of liniment
8 Understated
9 Altar constellation
10 Four qts.
11 Right angle
17 Ball holder
19 Cambridge sch.
22 Gunshot sound
23 Explosive, for short
25 Actress Delany
26 Birthright barterer
27 Stench
28 Totals
29 Stumble
30 Part of A.D.
31 Antelope's playmate
35 Holy place
38 Obsequious gesture
40 Afternoon social
42 U.K. fliers
45 "Unh-unh"
47 Alpha follower
48 Terrible guy?
49 Immediately upcoming
50 Existed
51 Sternward
52 Rage
53 Roulette bet
54 401(k) alternative

▶ Yesterday's answer

S	C	A	R		H	I	D	E		S	U	B
I	O	T	A		I	R	O	N		P	R	O
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Sudoku

	9						6	
		8				9		
3	4		1	5	9		2	7
	7		9		2		5	
4								2
	6		5		1		3	
7	2		8	3	4		1	6
		5				4		
	8						7	

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Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and logic.

Yesterday's answer ▶

1	4	7	6	8	9	3	2	5
2	8	3	1	4	5	9	6	7
6	5	9	3	7	2	4	8	1
4	1	8	7	2	3	6	5	9
9	3	2	5	6	8	7	1	4
7	6	5	4	9	1	2	3	8
8	2	4	9	1	6	5	7	3
5	9	6	8	3	7	1	4	2
3	7	1	2	5	4	8	9	6

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♈ Aries March 21-April 20 Mars, your ruler, changes signs today, igniting situations that may anger you. Now that you know, chill.

♉ Taurus April 21-May 21 You may be tempted to go at it alone. It's a temptation you must resist.

♊ Gemini May 22-June 21 You may be focused on your work and financial situation at the moment but make time for loved ones, too.

♋ Cancer June 22-July 22 Your self-esteem will reach new highs over the next few weeks. What do you intend to do with it?

♌ Leo July 23-Aug.23 If you have to let down a friend, do so in a way that doesn't leave him or her bitter.

♍ Virgo Aug. 24- Sept. 22 It may seem as if you have lost your sense of purpose, but this is just a passing phase and by the end of the week you'll be back on track.

♎ Libra Sept. 23-Oct. 23 Use the transit of Mars over the career angle of your chart today to clarify your aims and ambitions.

♏ Scorpio Oct. 24-Nov. 22 You'll wonder why you bother trying to get on with certain people.

♐ Sagittarius Nov. 23-Dec. 21 Don't waste either physical or emotional energy on lost causes.

♑ Capricorn Dec. 22-Jan. 20 Today, you should watch from the shadows. You'll learn more.

♒ Aquarius Jan. 21-Feb. 18 It will be easy to get emotional today, especially if others disagree with what you consider to be positive ideas and plans.

♓ Pisces Feb. 19-March 20. Sometimes, you find it hard to assert yourself. That's unlikely to be a problem today. **SALLY BROMPTON**

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